WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate easterly winds; mostly cloudy, with occasional sleet or rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Easterly winds; mostly cloudy and cold, with snow.

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BRITISH TROOPS IN ACTION IN SHANGHAI

Seas and Tides Force Divers to Postpone Search

Efforts to Find Missing Submarine Spurred by Reception of Subsurface Signals and Discovery of Great Patch of Oil—Hope for Lives of Crew Abandoned

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PORTLAND, Eng., Jan. 29.—The sunken submarine M-2, holding three score men within her steel hulk, still rolled at the bottom of the English Channel early this morning, and the British Admiralty announced that the possibility of saving any lives was "almost beyond hope." Heavy seas and tidal currents late last night forced divers to give up their attempt to find the submarine until low tide early today. Crews of the weight-lifting lighters were sent into Portland to sleep.

Desperate efforts were made to reach an object eighteen fathoms below the surface off Portsmouth which naval officials believe might be the ill-fated craft.

SIGNALS ARE HEARD

The battle against choppy seas and swirling tides was spurred on by the reception of "sub-surface signals" on the hydrophone of the destroyer Thruster and by a great patch of oil discovered by the destroyer Sabre.

The official estimate of from forty-eight to fifty-six hours in which the crew could remain alive expired about 6:30 last night, but with exceptionally favorable circumstances it was believed they might have a few hours more.

APPARATUS IS READY

Four great lifting cylinders, known to navy men as "camels," were towed out from Portland in case the submersible was located. The moment it is definitely ascertained that the object below is the missing craft, efforts will begin to raise it.

Three divers were sent down during yesterday afternoon and early evening. One failed to reach bottom, but the others succeeded only to be swept off their feet by a strong tidal current.

First Site Abandoned

Late in the day the rescue flotilla abandoned its investigation of the first object discovered Tuesday night, and operations were concentrated on the new site. Diving will be continued there until the discovery is definitely identified.

Those wives and relatives who had not collapsed spent another anxious day at Shorsides, Portland, Weymouth, Gosport and Portsmouth awaiting news. Most of them refused to give up hope.

LIST OF CREW

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Officers and men aboard the submarine M-2, when she sank off Portland on

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GOLD STANDARD CAUSES DEBATE

Heated Argument Follows Government Resolution in South African House

CAPETOWN, South Africa, Jan. 28 (CP).—The House of Assembly tonight had launched a Parliamentary battle on the question of whether or not the Union of South Africa should maintain gold as a standard of monetary exchange, and heated argument was still in progress when debate was adjourned for the day.

Prime Minister J. B. Hertzog declared the Government was determined to retain the gold standard, and moved for establishment of a committee to determine whether the welfare of the country demanded maintenance of the gold standard.

Gen. Jan Christian Smuts, leader of the Opposition South African party in the House, put forward an amendment calling on the Government to abandon the gold standard.

GALLERIES PACKED

All the public galleries were packed, and the floor of the House, which reassembled yesterday, was crowded, when the Prime Minister rose to speak. Women predominated in the galleries and immense interest was shown throughout the city.

The Prime Minister declared the Government was convinced the gold standard was right, and the right course for the future, which provoked loud laughter from the Opposition benches.

The object of his motion, the Prime Minister proceeded, was merely to clarify the situation and protect the situation against exploitation.

SEEK FARMER SUPPORT

Agitation against the gold standard, which was aimed at securing the farmers' vote, had so affected South Africa's prestige that the farmers were unable to sell their wool, and even the peace of the country was threatened, he declared. The Government thought it would be suicidal to leave the gold standard but, in view of this agitation, the country should be informed of the true situation.

Amid the laughter of his supporters, General Smuts asked why the motion had ever been moved, when the Government had previously vigorously opposed such an inquiry and had pledged itself to maintaining the gold standard "at all costs."

SAYS SUPPLY OF PICTURES WAS CUT OFF

Activities of Alleged Film Combine in B.C. Highlight of Trial

THREE MEN AND FOUR COMPANIES CHARGED

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP).—Activities of an alleged motion picture combine in British Columbia were in the spotlight today at the trial of N. L. Nathanson, Samuel Bloom, I. S. Fine and fifteen motion picture concerns, charged with restraint of trade under the Criminal Code and the Combines Investigation Act. It was alleged an exhibitor linked with Famous Players Canadian Corporation, one of the companies on trial, had endeavored to cut off the film supplies of another exhibitor in Trail, B.C.

Documents and testimony bearing on the case of Antoine Lauriente, Trail theatre owner, were introduced by R. H. Greer, K.C., special Crown prosecutor. Letters from F. Donnenworth, Vancouver lawyer, to Colonel J. A. Cooper, president of Motion Picture Distributors and Exhibitors' Association of Canada, in which the former said he had been informed Lauriente was unable to get a proper supply of films, were tabled.

COULD NOT OBTAIN FILMS

At the time, Donnenworth was secretary of the Vancouver Film Board of Trade. Donnenworth reports Lauriente's lawyer had alleged W. P. Dewees, owner of another Trail theatre, had connived with British Columbia exchanges to make it almost impossible for Lauriente to obtain films. A telegram which Colonel Cooper had sent Donnenworth, saying the distributing offices in Toronto were quite willing to sell films to Lauriente, was tabled.

Colonel Cooper was on the stand throughout the day. Questioned regarding the Motion Picture Distributors and Exhibitors' Association for America—"The Hays Organization"—witness said his group (Motion Picture Distributors and Exhibitors of Canada) was affiliated with and worked with the Hays body, but did not "represent it in Canada."

IRISH HOUSE TO DISSOLVE

General Elections in Free State Are Set for February 10

DUBLIN, Irish Free State, Jan. 28 (AP).—The Free State Parliament will be dissolved tomorrow and elections will be called for February 10, it was announced tonight.

The Legislature of the Irish Free State consists of a Senate (Seanad Eireann) of sixty members, and a Chamber of Deputies (the Dail Eireann) of 153 members. Members of both chambers hold office for five years, barring dissolution or Parliament in the meantime.

Members of the Senate are elected on a population basis, while those of the Dail are named on the basis of proportional representation.

Present standing of parties in the Dail follows:

Government	64
Fianna Fail	56
Labor	12
Independent	11
Farmers	6
National League	2
Independent Republicans	1
The Speaker	1
Total	153

MINERS WORK AFTER ONE DAY'S STRIKE

LETHBRIDGE, Jan. 2 (CP).—Four hundred coal miners at Coleman, employees of the International Coal & Coke Co., who staged a one-day protest strike on Wednesday over alleged uneven distribution of available work in the mine, have settled their grievances against the company and returned to work. No disorders occurred, though the mine was picketed during the course of the brief strike. Word from Coleman is that a satisfactory settlement has been reached.

COLONEL LORNE ROSS HEADS CAMPAIGNERS

Officers elected last night at the annual meeting of the British Campaigners of the Canadian Legion were: Hon. president, General Sir Arthur Currie, K.C.B.; president, Colonel Lorne Ross; vice-president, Beaumont Boggs; honorary secretary-treasurer, W. J. Edwards; honorary chaplain, Capt. Rev. C. F. Pringle, and executive, Major A. E. Christie, Major P. T. Stern, Major A. C. Hinton, Capt. J. Perry and E. R. Apperley.

After the business meeting, five reels of travel films, displayed by courtesy of the Canadian National Railways, were enjoyed by the members.

Where Warships Ride

VIEW of the waterfront at Shanghai, where Japan has assembled a formidable fleet, from which troops were landed for the occupation of the native city. Shanghai's war memorial is shown in the foreground.

Concerted Drive In Aid of Fishery Industry Planned

Markets Extension Committee Praises Action of Lumbermen in Developing Empire Market—Turns Next to Depression in Sea Products

WITH the timber industry of the province lined up in continuation of an intensive drive to extend sales of British Columbia lumber in British countries, the markets extension committee of the Cabinet will turn its attention to the fishery industry, to see what improvement can be effected there, it was stated yesterday by Hon. N. S. Lougheed.

Acting as chairman of the committee, Mr. Lougheed presided at a two-hour meeting of the group yesterday, when plans were reached to commence an immediate study of the position of the British Columbia fishery industry, with special attention to overseas trade in British countries. The meeting was attended by Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, Hon. William Atkinson, and deputy officers, including John P. Babcock, Henry Cathcart and P. Z. Caverhill.

SOUTH AFRICA NEXT

Concurrently it was announced that the Government had decided to continue the services of Major L. R. Andrews in trade extension work, and would suggest to the lumbermen, under whom he is engaged, that attention be paid next to South Africa, following successful export sales campaigns carried on in Australia, New Zealand and Fiji during the last two years.

Similarly, the committee endorsed the work being done by Loren L. Brown, special lumber sales commissioner in Britain, and received reports showing that direct returns were already observed from the recent opening of sales extension services there by the lumbermen.

For its work in support of lumber trades extension the committee had concrete results to record.

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POLICE ATTACKED BY NATIONALISTS

Minor Disturbances in India as Conference Committees Start Work at New Delhi

BOMBAY, Jan. 28 (AP).—Nationalists in this city attacked police tonight with fire, stones and shouts, while the Government adopted whipping as a check on the activities of juvenile disturbers.

A Hindu youth, charged with picketing a bank, was sentenced to be whipped. Three Nationalists were killed at Allahabad when police were forced to fire on a mob after the arrest of several Nationalist pickets.

The Round-Table Conference committees carrying on the work begun in London, met at New Delhi for session which probably will last till tomorrow. They are scheduled to come here tomorrow.

The Nationalists began their demonstrations tonight, lighting bonfires as fast as the police put them out, shouting anti-Government slogans and stoning foreign automobiles.

Says Free Exchange Of Views Essential At Ottawa Meeting

British Industrialists Preparing for Forthcoming Imperial Conference—Plans Laid to Present Results of Studies Before Government

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary of State for the Dominions, today received members of a delegation of industrialists and told them it was important the forthcoming Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa should provide opportunities for the most free exchange of views possible on matters affecting industry.

As an example of the United Kingdom's influence on the development and prosperity of the Dominions, Mr. Thomas pointed out that the enormous exodus of Britons to the Dominions during pre-war days had now dropped to a point where it was balanced by immigration of outsiders into the British Isles for the first time since the inauguration of emigration statistics.

RECOGNIZE COMPETITION

Although development of secondary industries within the Dominions is strongly competitive with those of the United Kingdom, Mr. Thomas said British people recognize that competition and harmonize their needs accordingly.

The desire of Sir Gilbert Vyle, chairman of the British committee on Empire trade, said Mr. Thomas, to work in co-operation with industrial representatives had been anticipated by the formation of the committee he headed, which was a reconstruction of the old British preparatory committee, formed prior to the 1930 Imperial Conference. Each constituent part of the committee, he said, would place the results of its studies conjointly with the others before the Government.

SHOULD HAVE ADVISERS

In view of the fact the Ottawa conference would mainly consider economic questions, Sir Gilbert urged the British delegation should be accompanied by industrial advisers.

Sir Arthur Duckman promised full support of the Federation of British Industries, and said one of the needs of the Ottawa conference would be to bring a true Empire spirit to bear in place of the spirit of nationalism.

NEWTON D. BAKER MAY SEEK OFFICE

Franklin D. Roosevelt Regarded as Most Likely Democratic Candidate for U.S. Presidency

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Washington interprets the pronouncement of Newton D. Baker, who was Woodrow Wilson's Secretary of War, against consideration of entrance into the League of Nations as a party matter between Democrats and Republicans, as an indication that he will attempt to get the Democratic Presidential nomination.

Political experts, however, would be surprised if he were nominated. Baker has advocated among other things repeal of the Prohibition Act which alienates the South; cancellation of war debts, which loses him the support of most of the country with the exception of the East; and he personally favors entrance into the League.

Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York, still remains, in the opinion of most Washington observers, by far the most likely choice of the Democrats and probably the strongest candidate who has yet appeared.

British Speedboat Marks Still Stands As World's Record

DETROIT, Jan. 28 (AP).—W. D. Edenburn, chairman of the racing committee of the Yachtmen's Association of America announced today that Gar Wood apparently failed of a new world's speedboat record yesterday by the margin of .08 nautical miles an hour. The average speed of Miss America IX yesterday was announced as 110.785 miles an hour, a trifle better than the official world's record of 110.223 miles an hour, held by Kaye Don. The revised figure leaves the speedboat record in the hands of the British racer.

CONFIDENT IN RADIUM FIELD

Chemists at Ottawa Studying Methods for Treating Rich Pitchblende Ore

OTTAWA, Jan. 28.—Gilbert Labine, original discoverer of the pitchblende deposits, productive of radium, in the Great Bear Lake district, and Dr. Pouchon, a Belgian chemist, are in Ottawa today to discuss the situation with the Mines Department. They express confidence in the prospects and their richness.

Inquiry in Government circles today elicited the statement that no definite policy in regard to the deposits has been developed. It appears that the area is under lease to Eldorado, and that no particular assistance from the Government is being sought.

The treatment of the ore would be by acids, whose transportation so far North would be expensive as well as sometimes dangerous. Under the circumstances, the idea would be to bring the ore down to the end of the Northern Railway in Alberta and carry on there the necessary processes. Belgian experts, with their unique experience in radium from the Belgian Congo, are being enlisted.

MAKE FORMAL PROTEST OF "UNFAIR METHODS"

PARIS, Jan. 28 (AP).—American Ambassador Walter E. Edge called on Minister of Commerce Rollin this evening and formally protested what he termed the unfair methods of the French Government in placing quota restrictions on American importations.

Foreign Area Defenders Repel Invaders as War Rages in Native Quarter

Japanese Attack Chinese City and Desperate Street Fighting Follows—Airplanes Set Fire to Chapei Section and Flames Rage Unchecked—Bomb Falls in Foreign Quarter—U.S. Sends Ships

FOLLOWING swift and unexpected action on the part of Japanese marines who landed and attacked the native city of Shanghai early yesterday morning, fighting has been in progress in the Chinese city. The international area is an armed camp, and its defenders have been called upon to repel efforts of defeated Chinese troops to cross the boundary to escape from the Japanese, and Japanese soldiers who sought to traverse foreign area ground.

Japanese airplanes bombed the Chapei section of Shanghai and started fires that are raging unchecked in a congested district housing 500,000 Chinese. Scenes of indescribable horror are reported.

An air bomb was dropped on the international settlement area and started a serious fire, which caused heavy damage. No casualties were reported.

European residents living outside of the foreign area are flocking into the settlement for protection.

United States, alarmed at the seriousness of the situation, has ordered four destroyers to proceed at top speed to Shanghai from Manila, and is holding other naval units in readiness to proceed from the Philippines to the scene.

Japan has also instructed further naval units to prepare for departure to the scene of conflict to augment the already large fleet operating against the Chinese city.

Chinese reinforcements have been ordered by the Nanking Government to proceed to Shanghai.

The Chinese delegation to the League of Nations decided today to invoke articles ten and fifteen of the League Covenant which require the League to take drastic action to preserve the territorial integrity of China against hilitary aggression.

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BITTER FIGHTING

SHANGHAI, Jan. 29.—Japanese invaders and Chinese defenders fought bitterly today for the mastery of Shanghai.

Above them Japanese planes whirred, dropping deadly bombs on the native Chapei district. Fire tore through the warren-like slums for a while, then died down in rain-washed gloom.

The Japanese occupation begun at midnight, led to the most menacing situation since the seizure of Mukden by Japanese soldiers last November, set the spark to a new conflict between the Oriental powers.

In the international settlement, where the greatest anxiety prevails, troops of three nations and volunteers, stood by for defence.

ALTERNATING BATTLE

The battle alternated. The Chinese, forced from the important Nanking Railway station soon after Japanese marines occupied the city at midnight, recaptured it eight hours later, as its Nipponese defenders were diminished by calls for reinforcements to other sections of the native city. Shortly afterward the Chinese military headquarters fell to the Japanese marines.

The Japanese early in the day extended their way across the

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DENY JAPAN USE OF LINE

Soviet Russia Refuses to Allow Transportation of Troops for Harbin

HARBIN, Manchuria, Jan. 29 (AP).—Japanese troops were imminently expected in Harbin today, and it was understood that after their arrival the branch line of the Chinese Eastern Railway running to Changchun would be operated by Japanese train crews.

The Tokio Government has instructed its ambassador at Moscow to explain to Russian officials the reasons for taking over control of the Chinese Eastern, which is jointly owned and operated by Russia and China.

The Japanese Consul-General here consulted with officials of the railway Wednesday and yesterday, explaining to them that control was necessary as an emergency measure to rush troops to Harbin.

TRANSPORTATION REFFUSED

TOKIO, Jan. 29 (AP).—It was reported today that Soviet Russia had refused to let the Chinese Eastern Railway in Manchuria transport Japanese troops to Harbin, where there was fighting between Chinese factions.

Vice-Chairman Kuznetzoff of the railway, which is jointly owned by China and Russia, denied the Japanese troops transportation, an official report said, under instructions from Moscow to observe neutrality.

Japanese Consul-General Ohashi at Harbin notified the Foreign Office that the Soviet official told him, since the Soviet Government had denied the use of the railway to the Chinese during the fighting in the Nonni River zone last Autumn, it must decline to accommodate the Japanese.

The Soviet official asked if it was not the Japanese intention to take possession of the Harbin-Changchun branch of the railway. Consul Chashi replied that Japan had no such intention.

A Rengo (Japanese) News Agency dispatch from Changchun reported that Chinese burned a section of the Sungari River bridge south of Harbin. Apparently the night before two military trains operated by Japanese, in defiance of Russia's neutrality stand, had reached that point.

The stationmaster at Sungari reported he had heard gunfire and believed the Japanese were attacked by the Chinese.

SAYS MEASURES PROVED EFFECTIVE

Sir Samuel Hoare Declares Action Taken in India Averting Serious Trouble

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, summed up the Indian situation in a speech tonight in the words of an Oriental proverb, "though the dogs bark, the caravan passes on."

The emergency measures against the civil disobedience movement have been carried out "with common sense, moderation and impartiality."

"The extremist movement is much less active than might have been expected," he said. "There is a general absence of trouble in the rural areas except in the Northwest Frontier Province, and even in this province the red-shirt movements seem to be thoroughly shaken."

BOGOTA, Colombia, Jan. 28 (AP).—Eleven laborers were killed in their sleep and six more were injured in a landslide near the village of Neira yesterday.

Verigin Has Made Fortune In Four Years

YORKTON, Sask., Jan. 28 (CP).—Peter Veregin, leader of the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood, was twice sentenced to death, served two years in several jails in Russia, and finally was released and escaped the death penalty on the understanding that he would leave the country for Canada, and since arrival here some four years ago has accumulated in the neighborhood of $720,000.

These revelations were made by the Doukhobor leader himself while giving evidence at the preliminary hearing of George P. Chutskoff, who appeared in court here today before Police Magistrate A. McDonald, charged with perjury.

DICTATORSHIP FACES AUSTRIA

Chancellor to Form New Government—Schober to Be Eliminated

By JOHN GUNTHER

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VIENNA, Jan. 28.—Metaphorically at least, the head of Dr Johann Schober, veteran police chief and Austrian Foreign Minister, is today rolling in the sand. His enemies, chiefly Mgr. Ignaz Seipel, have got him.

Herr Schober was not "worth" the 60,000,000-schilling ($8,400,000) loan which Austria wants and could not get while Herr Schober's pan-German policy dominated the Government.

The resignation of Chancellor Karl Buresch's Cabinet late yesterday provokes a political crisis which puts the shadow of a dictatorship, in fact if not in name, over Austria. Herr Buresch has been chosen to form a new Cabinet, presumably with Herr Schober eliminated.

RESULT OF MEETING

The resignation of Herr Buresch's coalition did not follow an adverse vote in Parliament or a dispute on any major political issue. It came simply as a result of a private meeting of the powerful Christian Social party, which decided that it would no longer work with Herr Schober in the Government.

The domestic situation which results today is complicated in the extreme. Herr Schober's pan-German party decided to follow him in exile and will not support a new Buresch Government. Herr Buresch and the Christian Socials thus will have to govern as a minority or formally ally themselves in Parliament with the Fascist Heimwehr.

MAY FORCE AGREEMENT

The Social Democrats would presumably protest against this. The Social Democrats are the biggest party in Austria, but they have a profound reluctance to take the responsibility of government themselves. They may be forced to agree to a Buresch minority Government because, if they do not, they would probably have to face an overt dictatorship.

The return of Mgr. Seipel to power, if he takes office, is regarded as a misfortune by Liberal circles. Mgr. Seipel has always stood for an aggressive Clerical Conservatism and has openly allied himself with the revolutionary forces of reaction; that is, the Heimwehr. Now, however, the Heimwehr have turned to the Nazis, with whom Herr Seipel will not have traffic, and there is some doubt whether the Heimwehr would join a Seipel Government.

SNOWFALL IS HEAVY

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28. — Pacific Great Eastern is encountering more snow on its line this season than at any time during the past fifteen years, officials report. Snowploughs are sent over the line regularly twice a week. To date no delays have been caused by snow blockades.

DENMARK'S POET DEAD

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Jan. 28 (AP).—Sefus Michaelis, Denmark's premier lyric and dramatic poet, died today at the age of sixty-seven.

Seek Equalizing Charges To Protect U.S. Industry

Representatives Demand Extra Charges on Products From Countries Operating on Lowered Monetary Standards

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Oregon and Washington House of Representatives members joined with representatives of Maine today to ask equalizing tariff charges be levied on products from countries operating on lowered monetary standards to prevent dumping.

Sponsors of the legislation said they hope in that way to obtain relief for the woodpulp, pulp wood and lumber interests of the Pacific Northwest, Maine and other sections and for industries against competition they contend is driving them to the wall.

One of the bills submitted today would prevent duties on imports of any product being calculated in depreciated currency value of the seventeen countries now operating off the gold standard.

The other prohibits dumping of products at United States ports at values in currencies not backed by the gold standard, or below the cost of production.

Proponents of the plan charge as an example that British Columbia and Scandinavian pulp producers can sell their products 30 per cent cheaper than domestic producers within the United States, yet receive as much money in their own currency as they did before the standards were lowered.

International Bank Has Valuable Possibilities

Prof. W. A. Carrothers Addresses University Extension Association Expertly on Interesting Subject—Bimetalism Briefly Reviewed

The functions of an international bank were explained in expert manner to a university extension audience last night by Prof. W. A. Carrothers, Ph.D., of the University of British Columbia, keen interest in the subject being attested by the brisk fire of questions and expression of opinion which followed the address. While Professor Carrothers pointed out that very valuable potentialities lay in such an institution, he admitted that up to the present the International Bank at Basel had failed of its purpose chiefly because of lack of co-operation among the nations.

The intended functions of the bank were the collection of payments from Germany and their distribution among the creditor nations; the management of payments in kind made by Germany; the mobilization and commercialization of the unconditional and non-postponable part of the annuities, and the handling of the postponable annuities.

MACHINERY THERE

This bank had the machinery, he maintained, to perform a very valuable service for the removal of trade restrictions which would make possible the payment of international debts; for the adoption of sound policies in regard to foreign lending; for the adoption of measures for safeguarding international values, and for the establishing of world peace on a sound economic basis.

Professor Carrothers thought the Lausanne conference might have had helpful results, but jealousies and politics on the part of some of the great powers had made this impossible. The disarmament conference would open next week under most unfavorable circumstances.

PROPHECY IMPOSSIBLE

"What is going to happen in the months immediately ahead no one can tell," commented the speaker. "But we can say with confidence that if some policy of co-operation is not adopted by the great industrial, commercial and financial powers of the world, then we have seen the last cent of reparations that ever will be paid, as it will be absolutely impossible for Germany to pay them."

Most people would hardly be able to conceive the possibility of a great country like Great Britain defaulting in the matter of debts, but unless world conditions changed, it would be equally impossible for Britain even to continue payment of her war debts.

Then the question came: Should it be default or cancellation? Cancellation was unlikely, because this would give the politicians in certain countries electioneering ammunition. The only possible way to escape the debts, therefore, was by defaulting. This, said the speaker with irony, would relieve the conscience of the politicians, "and that seemed more important than the welfare of the world as a whole."

NONPAYMENT RESULTS

"If a debt isn't paid, it doesn't much matter what the reason is. But the difficulty will be if the creditor nations use that as a hindrance to free intercourse, while the impounding of their credits would result in doing away with international trade. If these methods are adopted we are faced with greater and greater dependence on our own national resources. That will mean the lowering of living standards in every country in the world. That is what we are facing in Canada and British Columbia; reduced wages, reduced incomes, vanishing profits.

"END NOT YET"

"The end is not yet. People are already being reduced to lower standards of living. But there is no need for alarm, for it may be that many things we have become used to—motor cars, radios, for instance—are not of the essence of life. The men in the trenches when faced with new situations and hard conditions had the humor and adaptability to meet the conditions. The outcome of the whole situation will depend in the last analysis on the character and morale of the people. With the resources we have in Canada, there is no cause for alarm," said the speaker.

The discussion of the international bank was followed by a brief discussion of bimetallism. Professor Carrothers expressed the view that if adopted in a proper way, viz., internationally, the system would be good, but it involved international control of a kind which was not available today. In any event, if it were possible to get the international co-operation necessary for the institution of bimetallism, it would be possible to adopt something even better.

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Tomato Juice, 3 cans for 25c
Royal City Tomatoes, large tins, each ..... 11c; 2 for 21c
Royal City Soups, 3 cans for 25c
Royal City Green or Wax Beans, 2 for 25c
Ogilvie Wheat Hearts, 2 cartons for 25c
Fiji Island Pineapple, all British, equal to Del Monte, 2½'s at ..... 24c; 2's 19c
Finest Greengage Jam, 4-lb. cans 35c
Five Roses or Household Flour, 49-lb. bag $1.32
Five Roses or Household Flour, 24-lb. bag 69c
Australian Pastry Flour, 10-lb. paper bag 25c
20-lb. bag Ogilvie's Rolled Oats 69c
Christie's Sodas, 1-lb. pkt. 14c
Ormond's or Red Arrow Sodas 17c

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Jamaica Oranges, very sweet and juicy, doz., 20c, 25c, 30c
Fresh Rhubarb, per lb. ..... 10c; 3 lbs. for 29c
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Pitted Dates, 3-lb. packets 32c
Finest Crystallized Ginger, per lb. 15c
Chocolate Belmonts, per lb., 19c
Punch, all flavors, extra special; 2 bottles for 25c
Extra Good Table Potatoes, 12 lbs. for 15c
Good Table Carrots, 12 lbs. for 15c
New Juicy Grapefruit, 4 and 5 for 25c
Sunkist Oranges, per dozen, 15c, 30c, 35c and 40c
Marmalade Oranges, per doz., for ..... 39c; 3 dozen for $1.10
Fresh Moist Dates, 4 lbs. for 23c
Unsulphured Figs, 2-lb. packets for 35c
Sweet Coating Chocolate, per lb. ..... 18c; 2 lbs. for 35c
Honey Fig Bars, per lb. 19c
Soft Shell Walnuts, per lb. 25c
Sooke Turnips, 12 lbs. for ..... 15c; 100-lb. bags $1.00
Hand Dry Onions, 5 lbs. ..... 15c; 10 lbs. for 25c
No. 1 Sir Walter Raleigh Potatoes, 100-lb. bag 95c
No. 1 Burbank Potatoes, 100-lb. bag 95c
No. 1 Netted Gem Potatoes, 100-lb. bag $1.10
Golden Delicious or Red Cheek Pippin Apples, 40-lb. box $1.25
Fine Local Parsnips, 9 lbs. for 15c

To Allow Discount On Early Payment Of Saanich Taxes

THE Saanich Council last night decided to renew its annual system of accepting the payment of taxes in advance and allowing a discount of ½% per month. No discount, however, will be allowed on any amount lower than $25.

It was pointed out that while this system had been in force for a number of years, few ratepayers in the municipality were aware of it, and the advantages which it offers.

DEFENDERS REPEL INVADERS AS WAR RAGES IN NATIVE QUARTER

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Whangpo River to Pootung, where Japanese cotton mills were declared to be in danger, and there was every indication they would continue to advance into Chinese territory.

FORMIDABLE FLEET

A formidable fleet of twenty-four Japanese warships lay in the harbor itself, ready for action, while others were anchored within striking distance.

The bitterest fighting of the occupation, which was carried on with the same machine-like precision displayed by the Japanese when they pushed their Chinese enemies out of Manchuria, took place at the very edge of the international settlement.

Within the barbed wire boundaries of the settlement patrolled the military forces of other nations, backed by artillery and tanks. The Japanese attempted to break through these defence lines, but were refused passage.

CIVILIANS MOBILIZED

The civilian male population of the foreign city was mobilized, armed with rifles and put on guard in the business district. No clashes between Japanese troops and the soldiers of any nation except China were reported, but Shanghai was tense with apprehension.

Several hours after the first wave of the Japanese advance through the native city, Chinese reinforcements were rushed up for a counter-attack of major proportions.

Two armored trains brought these reinforcements and they were deployed and hurriedly put into action in an effort to stem the inexorable Japanese advance.

It was then that the Japanese aeroplanes were brought into play. The planes flew high but the roar of their motors was deafening to observers in the international settlement. Among the aircraft were three from the carrier Notoro.

RESUMED AT DAWN

The bombing activity was brief, but after a pause of a little more than an hour, it was resumed again at the first trace of the foggy, rainy dawn.

A drizzle of rain made visibility low, but the glare of burning Chapei was plain enough. At least 500,0000 Chinese live in the tortuous warrens of the district, and it was reported fire was sweeping through it unhindered.

The explanation of the air activity was reported to be unexpected reverses suffered by the Japanese. Reinforcements were ordered into the district by the Japanese command.

HEAVY LOSSES

Just before the planes went out the second time to thump their bombs on Chapei, Japanese headquarters announced its losses were nine killed and 110 wounded. No figures were available on Chinese losses, but they were reported to be heavy. Many civilians were believed to have been killed.

It was estimated by the Japanese that 4,000 Chinese opposed their 2,000 marines at the beginning of the fight, but considerable reinforcements were moved in by the Chinese. About 24,000 Chinese troops were believed in the immediate vicinity of Shanghai. The semi-day of 7 a.m. revealed four Japanese aeroplanes flying menacingly over the foreign settlements as well as the Chapei district.

OCCASIONALLY A BOMB

Half an hour later another plane joined them. They confined their activities for the most part to scouting, although occasionally they dropped a bomb.

Meanwhile, the flames spread. As they swept through the lightly constructed houses of the native quarter they could be seen for miles around. Several sections of Chapei were burning to the accompaniment of the rattle of machine guns and occasional bursts of rifle fire.

It was the first time Shanghai had undergone an air raid. Back in 1927, when Marshal Chiang Kai-Shek's troops menaced the city, flyers scouted overhead but no bombs were dropped.

WAVES OF INVADERS

The occupation was effected by two waves of invaders totaling 2,000 men. The first started exactly at midnight from positions outside the Chinese sections of Hongkew and Chapei. Many of the men were crowded into motor trucks for the push into the territory of China.

They operated efficiently. As they moved along the boundaries of the Chapei section they dropped a strong detachment at the head of every alleyway. These detachments moved as one to the interior of Chapei, brushing back the lines the Chinese raised against them.

VICIOUS RESISTANCE

The movement caught the Chinese between the boundaries of the international settlement and the oncoming Japanese line. When the pincer action began to be felt, the Chinese put up vicious resistance. Reinforcements were rushed to them. But there seemed no possibility the Chinese would be able to provide any more than a temporary barrier against what promised to be a greater penetration into the Chinese territory than the mere occupation of Shanghai.

One of the Japanese tricks was to plunge the whole Chinese city into darkness. All street lights were shot out—a measure taken, a Japanese officer explained, to protect the advancing soldiers from the rifles of Chinese snipers.

ADVANCE IN DARKNESS

Hands down, rifles at the ready, with baynots fixed, the Japanese line swept onward in the darkness through the little alleys of the Chinese section toward the open country beyond.

The advance was carried on under the protection of the guns of thirty-seven ships of war lying off the Shanghai Bund in the Whang-Po. Simultaneously, the Japanese shelled Woosung, the fort eighteen miles from Shanghai which commands the Whangpo where it flows into the China Sea.

After the shelling a Japanese detachment landed there. In those sections of the Chinese part of Shanghai where no resistance was made, Japanese residents crowded the street to cheer their soldiers, and Japanese photographers took pictures of the troop movements.

Three hours and a half after the first wave of the attackers got into action, Japanese headquarters announced virtually every position outlined in their original plan had been seized, but heavy fighting was still going on.

CRITICAL COMPLICATION

The long-threatened occupation of Shanghai, declared by the Japanese to have been necessary to stop anti-Japanese agitators, was looked upon as the most critical complication of the Manchurian conflict because of the foreign interests in this port. It was undertaken after the Japanese had served two ultimatums on the Chinese municipal authorities.

The original ultimatum expired at 6 p.m. yesterday. Two hours before that deadline Japanese Consul-General Mural presented another one, demanding the removal of all Chinese forces stationed about the city, the immediate release of all Japanese goods seized during the boycott and the freeing of Chinese merchants held as prisoners by the anti-Japanese associations.

ALREADY ACCEPTED

The original ultimatum, calling for the suppression of anti-Japanese societies, already had been accepted by the Chinese authorities when the new demands came. This acceptance was contained in a communication to the consul-general from Mayor Wu Teh-Chen, but the consul replied by remarking that it remained for the Chinese to make effective their promises.

"If the promises are not carried out," he said, "the Japanese will act without further warning."

Meanwhile, male residents of the international settlements had taken steps to protect their homes and families. The volunteer corps of the settlement was called out under arms to augment the mobilized troops of the treaty powers.

FIELD EQUIPMENT

The famous race course became the military centre of the community. It was the assembly place for the regular troops, steel-helmeted and carrying field equipment. Cavalry units and tanks were included among them.

The Unites States marines were posted along the Avenue Haig and Soochow Creek. Troops from the standing Japanese detachment on duty in the settlement took over the protection of Henkew and the Yangtze districts, north of Shanghai. The British were sent to Hangjao area west of the city, and other strategic posts were assigned to the French.

STURDY BATTALIONS

British troops in the international settlement at Shanghai comprise two sturdy battalions of the Lincolns and Royal Buffs. Their total is 2,000 men. Presumably it was these forces that drove the Chinese invaders from the settlement.

Formerly, the famous Coldstream Guards were stationed in the settlement. Five years ago the Guards, with United States marines, stood off the defeated troops of Chang Tsung-Chang, Shantung war lord, as the horde poured helter-skelter toward the international area. That occurrence has become known as "the famous battle of Markham Road Bridge."

The British troops today, as in 1927, are on the left of the marines, who have been responsible for the western section of the settlement. The United States contingent numbers 1,200 men.

REPLACEMENTS DUE

Eight hundred British replacements were due to arrive in Shanghai today to swell the foreign garrison to 8,400 men. It is the task of this garrison to guard the hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of foreign property in Shanghai.

Seventeen hundred Frenchmen and French Colonials guard the French concession; twelve hundred Shanghai volunteers are on duty in another section of the settlement, and fifteen hundred Japanese—entirely separate from the occupation force — are protecting the northern section of the settlement.

EXPRESS INDIGNATION

SHANGHAI, Jan. 29 (AP).—United States Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham expressed indignation today at the Japanese actions in Shanghai.

He said he was at a complete loss to understand the Japanese actions, which he said were contrary to their statements made to foreign officials during the past several days.

The Japanese did not plan to use force, at least during yesterday or today.

Developments during the night had increased the seriousness of the situation tremendously, the American Consul-General added.

He said he was concerned with the safety of all Americans in the outlying areas and would again urge them to come within the international settlement for safety.

MAYOR PROTESTS

Wu Teh-Chen, Chinese Mayor of Shanghai, protested to Japanese Consul-General Mural today that Japan's resort to force here was "unwarranted and illegal."

Mayor Wu handed the Japanese Consul-General a note in which he said it was impossible for him to understand the Japanese actions, in view of the Chinese having accepted Japanese demands for an end to anti-Japanese activities and having been assured that the acceptance was satisfactory, at least for the present.

A copy of the protest was sent to all foreign consuls-general.

FIRE IN SETTLEMENT

SHANGHAI, Jan. 29 (AP).—Fire broke out in the international settlement this afternoon, when a badly-aimed bomb from a Japanese airplane fell in a street in the northern section. There were no casualties, but considerable damage was done. Shortly afterward another bomb fell in the residential area just outside the settlement, near the Japanese headquarters, and as a result of it many foreigners were leaving their homes and retiring within the settlement borders.

This afternoon, Japanese aviators who had been flying over the city for hours, turned their attention to bombing a great conflagration which had sprung up in the Chapei section and which was raging unchecked. The aviators tried to curb the flames with their bombs.

Settlement authorities said the situation there was becoming more serious with the arrival of more Chinese troops and the danger of their overrunning the foreign quarter.

MORE WARSHIPS LEAVE

TOKIO, Jan. 29 (AP). — The Japanese cruiser Tatsuta and four destroyers left the Sasebo naval base today for Shanghai with detachments of bluejackets aboard.

Two additional cruisers and two aircraft carriers were ordered to assemble at Sasebo, prepared to sail for Shanghai at a moment's notice.

Owing to official reports that 30,000 Chinese troops were concentrating around the Woosung fort, at the mouth of the Whangpo River, Japanese authorities also considered sending troop reinforcements to Shanghai. The War Office opposed any such move, however, contending that unless the situation became worse the navy would be able to handle it.

CHINESE TROOPS

In addition to the 30,000 Chinese in the Woosung region and along the railway leading to Shanghai, reports in official quarters indicated that 6,000 Chinese police of Shanghai apparently were preparing for action.

Reports of Chinese troop movements also indicated that Chiang Kai-Shek, former president of the Chinese National Government, was preparing to send forces to Shanghai.

In emphasizing the War Office's disapproval of troop movements to Shanghai, at least for the time being, authoritative quarters said that if Japanese land forces were sent, the movement would be on a large scale and the League of Nations would be notified beforehand.

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SHIPS FROM MANILA

MANILA, Jan. 29 (AP).—Amid wild rumors that America had declared war upon Japan, four destroyers of the United States Asiatic Fleet sped away from Manila harbor today for Shanghai, where Japanese marines fought Chinese troops in the native city.

While the crews of the four fighting craft were hurriedly rounded up by shore patrols, other craft of the Asiatic Fleet here made ready to sail upon a moment's notice.

The four destroyers ordered to the scene of trouble sailed at 8 o'clock this morning (7 p.m. Thursday, Eastern standard time) after a night of hurried preparations. They are expected to join the Yangtse River fleet in thirty-five or forty-five hours, probably Sunday. Each destroyer carried 105 men.

Their arrival will bring the American naval force in the neighborhood of Shanghai to nine destroyers and seven river gunboats.

DIVISION FROM NANKING

NANKING, Jan. 29 (AP).—A division of Chinese troops left for Shanghai by train today to assist Chinese forces there in opposing Japanese forces.

Just before Nanking learned today of the Japanese occupation of Shanghai, a new Governmental line-up was announced.

Wang Chen-Wei, a follower of former President Chiang Kai-Shek, was made president of the executive Yuean (a post corresponding to Premier) in succession to Sun Fo, who resigned. Lo Wen-Kan became Foreign Minister, succeeding Eugene Chen.

New instructions were cabled to Dr. W. W. Yen, who is representing the Government at the League of Nations Council meeting in Paris.

The Japanese consular staff established offices aboard a gunboat in the Yangtze River, explaining they wanted to avoid any incident which might arise from a Chinese attack on the Consulate.

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CONSIDER PLAN TO GIVE WORK

Details of Scheme for Men From Camps Studied, but No Decision Reached

Expected yesterday, announcement by the Provincial Government that it would start work in its camps on the basis of a new agreement with Ottawa did not come to pass, and though the Cabinet considered recent advices received through the Federal authorities, no statement on these advices was given out.

Hon. R. W. Bruhn said, in reply to questions, that the Government was considering certain details of the proposed plan, and had as yet reached no decision to proceed with the reopening of work in the camps.

The proposal submitted by the British Columbia Government to Ottawa was that a limited programme of work should be authorized, half at Dominion and half at provincial cost, to give part-time employment to upwards of 6,000 in camp and 3,000 others in the unorganized territories. For little more than is now paid out daily for direct relief, work of a permanent nature could be secured, the men to work out the equivalent of their board and to receive small monthly allowances for tobacco and personal comforts.

While there was nothing in the response of members of the Government yesterday to indicate that the plan would not eventually go ahead, a direct announcement to that effect was withheld.

COUNCIL OF OAK BAY HEARS SEWER APPEALS

Oak Bay Municipal Council held a meeting yesterday afternoon as a court of revision to hear appeals against assessments on two sewer lines, one on Somass Drive and the other on Cavendish Avenue, which have become taxable.

When the court opened there were only two appeals to be heard. One of the appellants said he was appealing to get information rather than to object to payment. His property was situated on the sewer line but his house sewer was connected to another. The other appellant claimed he should be exempted because he had a septic tank and did not require sewer service. The court decided to reserve decision in that appeal. On the first-mentioned appeal the court held that the appellant was taxable under the act.

MACHINISTS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Local No. 456, International Association of Machinists, held its annual meeting last night. Members elected to hold office were: President, A. Wallace; treasurer, G. Harberger; recording secretary, C. H. Lester; financial secretary, J. Mulkar; and trustees, E. Brackenridge, William McFawn and James Turnbull.

James Hetherington was presented with a special badge by the president, for fifteen years' membership in the organization.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, a social evening was enjoyed by the members. F. Elsmore was the winner of the bridge prize.

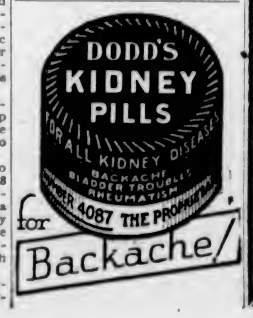
Employment to Be Given at Centre

The Saanich unemployment relief bureau, situated at the corner of Douglas Street and Regina Avenue, will also be used as an employment centre, it was decided at a meeting of the Saanich Council last night. Residents of the municipality desiring to hire help may telephone the centre (E 3043), where the work will be administered among the unemployed registered.

At last night's meeting of the council it was learned that Frank Kitto had been appointed assistant relief officer by the special unemployment relief committee.

FIREMAN IS KILLED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 28.—A violent explosion in a downtown business building resulted in the death of a city fireman and injuries to six other persons here early today. The explosion was believed by investigators to have been caused by an accumulation of gas.



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RELIEF PROBLEM TO BE REVIEWED

Public Works Committee to Consider Continuation of Works Programme With Government Aid

Further consideration will be given to the city's relief problem when the public works committee of the City Council goes into session at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. An expenditure of something like $200,000 is required to complete the programme outlined by the council last September.

In the opinion of Mayor David Leeming, the direct relief policy offers one way out of the difficulty of providing for the families of married unemployed men, but he is in agreement with his colleagues on the council that the men would rather work for wages than be given a "civic handout." It is likely that Victoria will join with other municipalities in requesting the governments to consider further aid to relief works.

Another matter that will occupy the attention of the committee will be the position of Mount Douglas Park. F. A. Graham, who has been interested in the operations being carried on at the park, is to address the meeting.

It is understood that a delegation from the unemployed workers' association will request a hearing concerning relief. At the last meeting of the committee a delegation made demands of the council and asked for an early reply to those demands.

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SAYS BUSINESS IS IMPROVING

T. O. Mackay, at Rotary Club, Asserts Appreciable Change in Conditions

It is the general opinion among leading men in the fire insurance business in Canada and the United States that there has been an appreciable change in conditions during the past few months and the increase in underwritings by some of the larger companies is an indication of industrial betterment, T. O. Mackay, Victoria underwriter, stated yesterday in addressing the members of the Rotary Club at the Empress Hotel.

INSURANCE HISTORY

Mr. Mackay gave some interesting details of the early history of fire insurance, going back to the days of the Royal Exchange in London, England, at the time of the great fire of London in 1666. He compared the methods of fire fighting in those days to the present. In 1666 the principal fire fighting equipment was a hook, two chains and a rope placed in the charge of the beadle of each ward in London. The hook and chain were used to pull down a burning house and the rope was used to aid people to escape.

Fire insurance, Mr. Mackay said, enters into the business and social life of every community and without it world business would become stagnant.

STATUTE CONDITIONS

As a matter of information, he detailed the most important of statutory condition, set out in contracts, the obligations of the assured, true representation of all facts, additional fire hazards assumed, admission of other concurrent insurance, depositing ashes in wooden containers and good and substantial chimneys. All of those, he remarked, affected the contract.

Referring to local rates, Mr. Mackay declared that Victoria had the lowest basic rate of any city on the continent. This, he said, was due to several things, such as: Water pressure, efficiency of a fire department and its equipment. He paid a high tribute to Fire Chief Vernon Stewart when he said, "We have in Victoria one of the finest fire chiefs on the Pacific Coast, and one who is an authority on the fire fighting business. Victoria is fortunate in having Chief Stewart at the head of its fire department."

BASIS OF INSURANCE

Mr. Mackay explained briefly the basis of fire insurance underwriting. Using $200,000 as a unit, he showed how that was split into five other units by the underwriting agent and given to five other companies. Head office again split the $40,000 units and these units were usually absorbed by an underwriting company, so that the original $200,000 might be held by as many as thirty individual companies. This he referred to as "the spread" in the insurance business, and gave it as an example why self insurance by cities and governments was not usually a success. He mentioned the case of Montreal. That city insured its own buildings and placed $200,000 in the bank to meet any losses. One fire caused a loss of $1,600,000, and the city had only $200,000 with which to meet it.

FREAKS IN FIRES

Mr. Mackay recounted a number of freak causes of fire. A sparrow carrying a lighted stub of a cigarette to its nest set fire to a dwelling. A rabbit set fire to a barn when its fur caught fire when it ran through burning slash and and into the farmer's barn. Sun rays on window glass have been known to cause fire. A windmill, in a storm, turned so fast that the bearings became hot and set fire to the mill. A horse striking a shoe against a nail in flooring was the cause of a barn fire.

Wood Cutting — Ratepayers in Saanich desiring permission to cut wood for their own use may get it from the municipal engineer, but if this permission is not obtained and the wood is cut, prosecution will follow, the Saanich Police Commission decided at its meeting last night.

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP). — The Home Office decided today to send Major P. Pannall to Dartmoor as governor of the prison, to replace Major S. N. Roberts, who asked to be temporarily relieved after Sunday's outbreak.

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Settlement Reached in Dispute Between Oak Bay Council and Trustees

The difference of opinion between the Oak Bay Council and the School Board of that municipality with respect to the item of salaries in the estimates of the school trustees of last year has been cleared up. At a meeting of the Municipal Council yesterday the item of $450 which was involved was approved. The 1932 school board will start off with a clean sheet in the preparation of its estimates proper for this year.

The council received the request from the school board for the passing of this item of $450, which covers the salary increases in dispute between the two bodies from last year. In order to clear the way for a fresh start on the business for this year, the council was agreeable to allowing the item, which will be incorporated in this year's estimates.

Under an amendment to the School Act, which became effective April 1, 1931, all increases in salaries to teachers must be regarded as extraordinary expenditures unless they are in accord with a written agreement existing between the teachers affected and the board. In the case of extraordinary expenditures, the approval of the council has to be given, which is not the case with ordinary expenditures, for which the council must levy.

Now that the effect of the statute is well understood, it is anticipated that no further trouble will arise.

ASSESSMENT FOR TAX IS UPHELD

Appeal of Graham Island Timber Company Against Levy of $18,000 Dismissed

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28.—Affirming an assessment made by C. R. Brown, provincial assessor, Vancouver, W. H. S. Dixon, judge of the Court of Revision, has dismissed an appeal of Graham Island Timber Company, Limited, which is thus obligated to pay $18,000 income tax on the sale of Graham Island timber to Powell River Company in 1926.

R. P. Stockton, counsel for the company, states that the case will be carried to the Court of Appeal.

When the Graham Island Timber Company took over, nine years ago, the timber, it paid $575,000, of which $275,000 was in cash and the balance in its own shares. Sale was made to Powell River Company, three years later, at a price of $540,000.

The Government, by disregarding the $300,000 fully-paid shares, which formed part consideration in the original purchase, computed the Graham Island Timber Company's profit, after allowing the firm carrying charges, at $188,000. The tax on this amounted to roughly $18,000.

Appellant contended that the $300,000 was part of the cost; so that on this basis, there was no profit.

PIPE MANUFACTURERS PLANNING TO ERECT PLANT IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28.—Negotiations are under way for establishment by the Pressure Pipe Co. of Canada, Ltd., of a plant in Vancouver at an initial investment of $75,000. Mr. C. L. Jobb, of Montreal, president of the company and president of Canada Iron Foundries, Ltd., is here arranging for a site.

First work of the new plant will be to manufacture pipe required for First Narrows water pressure tunnel. It will be the largest of its kind ever installed on this continent, with an internal diameter of eight feet.

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THE PLAY OF THE DUMMY

There is no word heard more frequently at the contract table than the word "if." "If I had done this" or "if you had done that" are the starting points of many a heated post-mortem. These port-mortems are both interesting and instructive when intelligent, but the master player should so play his cards as to eliminate all post-mortems on the play except the laudatory "Well played, partner."

This hand, played in a recent national championship contest by Mr. Barney Foster, of Chicago, merited that encomium.

North—Dealer.

North and South vulnerable.

North: ♠ A K 7 ♡ K 10 4 ◇ A 7 4 ♣ K 10 2 2
West: ♠ Q 9 6 ♡ 8 ◇ K 10 8 6 5 ♣ A Q J 4
East: ♠ J 10 4 3 ♡ Q 3 2 ◇ J 3 ♣ 9 7 6 5
South: ♠ 8 5 2 ♡ A J 9 7 6 5 ◇ Q 9 2 ♣ 8

The Bidding:

North	East	South	West
1NT	Pass	2♡	Pass
3♡	Pass	4♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West had the opening from a peculiarly difficult hand and elected to make the deceptive lead of the queen of clubs. As almost every player would do, Mr. Foster read this as showing the ace in the East hand and refused to play the king. This was sound play. West next followed with the ace of clubs, which Mr. Foster trumped. Ordinary procedure in the handling of this hand would be to discard a losing spade on the established king of clubs and then leave the fate of the declaration to the favorable location of the diamond king. Mr. Foster, however, adopted much more accurate methods. After winning the second trick, he led a small spade to the dummy and followed with the king of clubs upon which he discarded his loser in the spade suit. When West played a low club it was apparent that the club suit would break 4-4. Therefore, a small club was led and trumped in the closed hand. The next lead was a spade which was taken in the dummy and dummy's last spade led and trumped by the declarer. Now Mr. Foster led a small diamond which was won with dummy's ace and a small diamond returned. He thus lost one club and two diamond tricks, but eliminated entirely the possibility of losing a trump trick, as it did not matter from which side the trump was led, nor where the queen was located. By careful planning the luck of the finesse or the chance of an uneven break in the suit had been eliminated.

TODAY'S POINTER

Question—Give all the possible honor combinations in a four-card biddable suit.

Answer—A K Q J, A K J x, A K 10 x, A K Q 10, A K Q x, A K J 10, A K x x, A Q x x, A Q J 10, A Q J x, A Q 10 x, K Q J 10, K Q J x, K Q 10 x, A J 10 x.

Acids in Stomach Cause Indigestion

Create Sourness, Gas and Pain How to Treat

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

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Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

Re The Immigration Act—The King (R) vs. Munetake Samejima (A)—An order for appellant's deportation had been quashed in the Supreme Court on the grounds that it did not set out with sufficient particularity the reasons why entry to Canada should be refused. Appellant was released. The board then made an order in proper form which was upheld in the Supreme Court.

Counsel for appellant argued that the amended order of the board had no effect. The original order had been set aside. If the Crown had been dissatisfied with the decision setting aside the original order there should have been an appeal from that decision. There has been nothing in the proceedings to indicate that the judge had no jurisdiction.

Counsel for the Crown objected to the proceedings on the grounds that respondent was not a Canadian citizen and had no Canadian domicile, and therefore, under Section 23 of the Immigration Act, had no right of appeal.

The hearing of the appeal is continuing.

J. L. Clay for the Crown; C. H. O'Halloran for appellant.

TODAY'S PEREMPTORY LIST

Rex. vs. Gloster; Rex vs. Titmus; Rex vs. Bagley; Rex vs. Davis, alias Sorge; Rex vs. Phillips; Rex vs. McDonald; Re Immigration Act, the King (R) vs. Munetake Samejima (A), at bar; Levy (A) vs. Buchan Singh (R); Sanders (A) vs. Begg Motor Co., Limited (R).

SEAS AND TIDES FORCE DIVERS TO POSTPONE SEARCH

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Tuesday, are listed as follows:

Lieut.-Commander J. D. deM. Leathes, Lieut. H. C. W. Head, Lieut. S. Macdonald, Lieut. H. C. Toppin, Lieut. C. R. Townsend, Warrant Engineer W. A. Hayes.

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Seaman Thomas Morris, non-member of the crew, a survivor of the Poseidon disaster, was also aboard.

Fine Collection Given to Museum

A fine collection of natural history specimens has been donated to the Calgary Museum by Dr. Henry George, formerly a medical practitioner in Calgary and Red Deer, and now residing in Victoria.

Dr. George has been an ardent student of natural history for more than thirty-five years, and during this period has collected Indian relics, specimens of bird and animal life, many of them peculiar to the Western Provinces, and a large number of photographs and pictures of great historical interest.

Auto Club's Activities—The Automobile Club of British Columbia has issued a folder, which is being circulated among the members and others. This sets out the standard signals recognized internationally, as well as giving a lot of other information relative to the activities of the club. The first club in British Columbia was formed in Victoria in 1904, which was followed by others, with the result that in 1924 the Automobile Club of British Columbia was constituted.

TO HOLD SYNOD SESSIONS SOON

Annual Meting of Columbia Diocese Will Be Held February 3 and 4

The Lord Bishop of Columbia has summoned the Synod of the diocese to meet at the Cathedral on Wednesday, February 3, for Holy Communion at 9:15 o'clock. The first session will follow at 10 in the Memorial Hall, when the Bishop will deliver his charge to the clergy and lay delegates.

Lunch will be served in the gymnasium at 1 o'clock, and the Synod will reassemble at 2:30 o'clock and will hold its evening session at 8:15 o'clock. The work will be continued on the second day with further gatherings at the same hours, but there will be Holy Communion in the Cathedral at 8 o'clock and Matins at 9:30 a'clock.

CHIEF SUBJECTS

The subjects of chief interest to be discussed will deal with the two Lambeth Conference resolutions on "The Life and Witness of the Christian Church" and "The Unity of the Church," and also with certain of the resolutions of the General Synod (Canada) arising out of the report of the Anglican National Commission.

There will be a conference in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the demand of the laity for a larger share in the church's work. The Bishop has invited all church members to attend in addition to the clergy and Synod delegates.

PRIVATE BILL ASKED BY CITY

Seeks Leave to Borrow for Three Years' Relief and to Refund

Application by Victoria City to the Legislature for a private bill authorizing the city to borrow on account of relief and unemployment costs in 1930, 1931 and 1932, and also for refunding purposes, is given in this week's issue of The British Columbia Gazette. The powers to be sought are set out as follows:

"1. Authorizing the corporation by by-law with the assent of the electors to borrow upon debentures a part or all of its expenditures on account of unemployment relief, whether for direct relief or for labor and material, during the years 1930 and 1931, and such sum or sums of money, including cost of labor and material, as may be expended during the year 1932 to complete the corporation's programme of unemployment relief work.

"2. Authorizing the corporation by by-law to borrow upon debentures a sum not exceeding in the aggregate $200,000, and to apply the proceeds thereof toward the redemption of serial debentures of the corporation falling due in 1932."

CONCERTED DRIVE IN AID OF FISHERY INDUSTRY PLANNED

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Whereas the percentage of lumber shipped from the Douglas fir region to the United States domestic market had fallen from 11 to 9 per cent in the last two years, the proportion of British Columbia sales to Empire countries has risen from 22 to 51 per cent in the same period. From 19 per cent of the business recorded in 1929, British Columbia secured 24 per cent of regional exports to all other countries in 1930.

EMPIRE BUYING GROWS

"The point to note," said Mr. Lougheed," is that during the general decline an increasing percentage of Empire sales has been secured by British Columbia. I attribut this largely to the capitalization during the last few years of the sentiment for trade within the Empire, and trade agreements such as the one recently completed with Australia, the West Indies agreement, and so on.

"Should similar agreements be made with other parts of the Empire, there is no doubt that we would be able to secure the major portion of timber sales from the Douglas fir region. It may be possible to break in on the Baltic trade, especially with South Africa, India and the West Indies, as well as Great Britain offer opportunities in this respect," the chairman of the committee continued.

"If the above is true of British Columbia lumber, is it not equally true of other products, including fish, agricultural products, minerals, cement, etc.?" Mr. Lougheed asked.

STUDY B.C. FISHERIES

In the next few weeks the market extension committee will address itself largely to a study of the fishery situation, and will seek in this the co-operation of the industry itself, along the lines successfully carried out in connection with lumber.

The fishery industry has passed through a difficult period, with shortened packs and greatly disturbed conditions in markets that had once been favorable, it was stated. Immediate effort is to be made to secure the co-operation of the Federal authorities for a review of the standardization of canning, coupled with a general attempt to bring about better conditions in regard to packing and marking for the export trade.

OPPORTUNITIES OPENING

A new drive to extend sales of British Columbia fish, not only salmon, but all classes of the varied output of Pacific waters, will be suggested to the industry, with particular reference to the United Kingdom and other British countries. British Columbia fish have already some preference in the Australian market, Mr. Lougheed said, while there was great hope that favorable consideration would also be received from New Zealand and South Africa in this regard.

With the lumber drive well advanced in all countries, and the fishery effort now to get under way, general improvement of export opportunities for all classes of agricultural products will follow in due course, it was stated.

While for the moment, Empire trade appears to offer the best immediate hope of advancement in the percentage of British Columbia goods that may be exported, other destinations are not being overlooked. In this connection the committee has now before it detailed figures showing the trend of Canadian trade with South American republics, which from a preliminary survey would appear to indicate that but little attention has yet been paid to this profitable field by British Columbia industries.

The aim behind the work of the market extension committee, it was emphasized, was to get the facts and place these before the industries concerned, leaving the initiative to advance its own welfare in the hands of each industry.

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3 for .....25¢
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DOLE SYSTEM IN CANADA

Under latest arrangements affecting unemployment relief the work that has been provided for several months past is to cease and direct relief is to be given to those out of work. Much money will be saved by the change, and it is to provide this saving that Dominion and Provincial Governments and municipalities have agreed to meet the situation in a different way. The definition "direct relief" is a euphemism for the dole. It is simply giving outright, without any quid pro quo, the moneys required for the simple necessaries of life. From a sheerly economic standpoint the Governments concerned may have some justification for the course now ordained; from the viewpoint of statesmanship, however, a very dangerous precedent is being created.

Britain's experience has proved that the dole creates idleness. Even such a step as the cutting down of that dole by 10 per cent by the National Government has meant a decrease of 400,000 in Britain's unemployed in the space of a few months. Under the dole, as it was, many persons came to the conclusion that they could live fairly comfortably without working. Those temperamentally lazy saw no reason for working when they could live on what the State provided for their needs. The principle is the same anywhere it obtains. Direct relief, no less than the dole in Britain, is almost certain to perpetuate an unemployed class of citizens. Our unemployed want to work. They have shown every disposition to seek employment under the dispensation of relief which meant the provision of work. They are still of that mind. Not one in a hundred of those who are unfortunately situated would prefer the dole to work. The policy of direct relief finds no favor with the vast majority of our unemployed.

Under the foregoing circumstances the hope may be expressed that the policy of direct relief will be regarded as purely a temporary expedient and that it will not be allowed to fasten its baleful effects on the body politic. In a country of such vast natural resources as Canada there are evidences of bankruptcy in statesmanship when the dole is adopted. We are having an Imperial Conference to determine economic policies that will inure to the benefit of the Empire as a whole. There should be a national economic conference, as well, of our industrial leaders, in co-operation with all the Governments, to determine to what extent work can be increased to meet the unemployment problem. Industry as a whole does not approve of the dole; it approves as little of it as its recipients. Public opinion is averse to direct relief. It should not be beyond the possibilities of Canadian initiative and enterprise to deal with the unemployment problem in a country of our potentialities on lines other than that now being put into force.

IMMIGRATION

"Canada and the New Canadians" is the title of a pamphlet issued by Rev. Dr. John A. Cormie, the Superintendent of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada in Manitoba. It is a more than averagely interesting production of its character, both because of the figures it supplies and the deductions it makes. It is predicated, on the basis of the Malthusian theory, that emigration has no power to check the rate of increase in the population of a country. Immigration is said to be a minor factor in population growth. Dr. Cormie says that a country can receive a considerable inflow of immigration and not grow at all. Immigration figures to the Dominion are furnished for the last eleven years. Of these, we quote those affecting the last five years as follows:

	U.K.	U.S.	Other Countries
1926	37,030	18,778	40,256
1927	49,784	21,025	73,182
1928	50,872	25,007	75,718
1929	59,597	30,560	77,665
1930	64,082	30,727	68,288

The foregoing figures are held to indicate a tendency for British immigration to remain stationary, while that from "other countries" (Continental Europe) is on the increase. It is stated in the pamphlet that British immigration since the war "has been retarded by the great expansion of social agencies in Great Britain." An examination is then made of the percentage of foreign-born as distinct from Canadian-born and British-born in the various provinces. The percentage of such foreign-born is in the following order by provinces: Alberta, 29.56; Saskatchewan, 26.31; British Columbia, 19.02; Manitoba, 17.91; Ontario, 6.21 Quebec, 4.18; New Brunswick, 2.77; Nova Scotia, 2.67, and Prince Edward Island, 1.46.

The pamphlet deals with the distribution of population by occupation. One of the most urban of all nationalities is the Asiatic, of whom 65.50 per cent are found in cities. Of those born in the British Isles who come to Canada, 64.88 per cent settle into city life; of Greeks, 89.33 per cent; Italians, 75.18 per cent; Poles, 67.30 per cent. The most rural settlers are the Norwegians, with 78.14 per cent settling in the country districts; the Swedes are 75.40 per cent rural; the Galicians, 75.61. Austrians, Danes, Finns, Germans, Dutch, Hungarians and Icelanders are all more than 60 per cent rural, and Ukrainians are listed at 58.15 per cent. The conclusion reached from these percentages is that immigrants from Continental Europe tend to settle on the land and are mostly found in Western Canada and, as a general rule, in blocks. Anglo-Saxons tend to move away from such settlements.

Census tables show that of those residents of Canada born in the British Isles, 23.91 per cent are engaged in agriculture, 29.41 per cent in factories, 10.95 per cent in the transportation industries and 15.25 per cent in other occupations. Of those of European nativity, 43.41 per cent are engaged in agriculture, 14.47 per cent in manufacturing industries, 5.78 per cent in construction, 8.14 per cent in transportation, 8.88 per cent in trade and 7.96 per cent in various other services. Thus it appears that British settlers avoid agriculture to a great extent, but are attracted to mining, manufacturing, construction and transportation. European immigrants, however, have a liking for the land. This is confirmed by figures issued by the Department of Immigration, which show that in 1930, of 17,663 Poles and Ruthenians who came to the Dominion, 14,887 went to Prairies, as did 11,422 Germans and 3,811 Magyars.

The conclusions reached by Dr. Cormie, on the basis of the survey he has made and which is much more elaborate than the brief list of figures we have quoted, are that the process of amalgamation of the different racial stocks in Canada has in almost all cases begun, though in some the progress is slight; that among Northwestern Europeans the fusing process has made satisfactory progress; that there are grave reasons for believing that it will be many years before those from Southeastern and Central Europe become incorporated in our national life and share our national aspirations and achievements. He sees in the large rural blocks of Europeans in Western Canada a constant supply of casual labor of great but unknown volume. His concluding paragraphs are of particular interest. We quote: "Inasmuch as immigration is a doubtful expedient for increasing the population of a country, and as many immigrants may be expected to come to Canada, at any time, as can be absorbed, efforts to artificially promote or to induce immigration to this country should not be employed. Those who are not akin to us in their political and cultural traditions should, as far as possible, be discouraged from coming to Canada as immigrants."

THE RUSSIAN TRAGEDY

The Duchess of Atholl made the trip to Russia as well as Mr. George Bernard Shaw, but has reached conclusions as to conditions there diametrically opposed to those of the playwright. She went there with lack of knowledge about conditions. Mr. Shaw went with pre-conceived ideas as to what he expected to find, and, seemingly, with a determination to find alone what he sought. His observations, before and after his visit, bear a striking resemblance. The Duchess of Atholl, on the contrary, arrived at an estimate of conditions in Russia which is not in consonance with the fact that during her visit there she and her companions were under constant vigilance and guidance of the Soviet authorities.

The Duchess says point blankly that in Russia there is "an amazing and terrible picture" of a civilized state, which is not only making unprecedented use of prison labor on a commercial basis, but which is conscripting the labor of ordinary men and women on an ever-growing scale. She says there is a great scarcity of food for the people; yet agricultural produce is being exported from Russia in large quantities. Her conclusion is that "the prime necessities of life are being filched from the Russian people and sent to Britain and other countries." She sees in Russia the greatest menace to trade that the modern world has ever known and faced "with the greatest tragedy from the humane point of view that the world has ever seen." Her conception of what Britain should do is to refuse to buy from Russia so long as the Soviet Power conscripts its people and keeps them on short rations.

The present depression is a lesson to the world that it should not measure human happiness in terms of monetary well-being. As Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler says, "What the world needs today is not more wealth, but more confidence and more courage."

THE BRITISH NAVY

It may be only a coincidence, but, since she dismantled the fleet that served her so magnificently, Great Britain has been like Samson with his locks shorn. Something of the national strength and virility has been lost. Disarmament conferences became acrimonious discussions in which cool and adamant delegates from other Powers sought further and further chipping of Britain's strength. A great disarmament conference meets in February. We are told that the survival of civilization depends upon its success. The best way to achieve that success is for our Government to announce that unless generous and honest concessions are made by other Powers, Britain, as in the past, will build her fleet with relentless pertinacity against all challengers; that she will seek her own allies as in the past; that she will concede nothing; that the game of presenting a pistol at the British Empire will be countered in the manner of Cromwell and Disraeli.—Hongkong Press.

A few vices are sufficient to darken many virtues.—Plutarch.

The end of a man is an action, not a thought, even though it were the noblest.—Thomas Carlyle.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 28, 1932.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over Northern British Columbia and cold weather is spreading southward. Rain is falling in Oregon and California, and intense cold is becoming general in the Prairies.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max
Victoria	Trace	--	30	38
Nanaimo	--	--	30	37
Vancouver	--	--	24	36
Kamloops	--	--	12	16
Prince George	--	--	16b	4
Estevan Point	--	--	26	36
Prince Rupert	--	--	20	28
Atlin	--	--	36b	20b
Dawson	--	--	50b	50b
Seattle	--	--	30	38
Portland	--	.12	34	38
San Francisco	--	--	44	54
Spokane	--	--	18	26
Los Angeles	--	--	46	56
Pentleton	--	--	5	32
Vernon	--	--	6	21
Nelson	.40	--	16	32
Kaslo	--	--	19	29
Calgary	.40	--	12b	2b
Edmonton	--	--	20b	14b
Swift Current	--	--	10b	4b
Prince Albert	--	--	14b	8b
Qu'Appelle	--	--	16b	0
Winnipeg	.40	--	2	22

THURSDAY

Maximum	38
Minimum	30
Average	34
Minimum on the grass	26

Sunshine, 1 hour 6 minutes.

Snow, trace. Weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; wind, N., 6 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.W., 4 miles; clear.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.26; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22; calm; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.08; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.06; wind, E., 20 miles; snowing.

Portland—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N.W., 6 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S., 6 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.30; wind, W., 16 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Thy wish, Harry, was father to that thought.
—Shakespeare.

The somewhat peculiar and unusual political situation in Great Britain reminds us of the position of a newspaper friend of our earlier years. This friend was walking along the streets of an Eastern city one afternoon, when a newsboy asked him to buy a paper. "I don't buy papers, my lad," said the newspaper man. "I make them, and I don't read them." The position of Prime Minister MacDonald seems to us to be just like the position of the newspaperman. The Socialist and Liberal opponents of Mr. MacDonald say there is no constitutional precedent for the course he has taken. The Prime Minister practically replies: "My boys, it may be true that there is no constitutional precedent for the policy of the government, but I do not follow precedents; I make them."

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The young newspaperman who made newspapers but never read them did not afterwards cut much of a figure in his profession, but the Prime Minister who does not adhere strictly to precedents but makes them has cut considerable of a figure as a statesman, a politician, or whatever we may choose to call him. We do not suppose there is another man in the public life of Great Britain, with the possible exception of Mr. David Lloyd George, who would have had the courage (or whatever you may choose to call it) to attempt to establish the precedent Mr. MacDonald has established—that is, if the precedent has been definitely established and will successfully endure the criticisms of the opposition.

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For we are told by The Manchester Guardian, which probably will continue to worship its free trade idols as long as there is a pen in its hand, a type in its case or a wheel in its press that will turn, that there is another political crisis facing the British electorate, that the government may be forced to resign, and that the Prime Minister may be compelled to advise His Majesty to dissolve Parliament and hold another general election. The remnant of Liberalism of course lifts up its feeble voice and shouts with all the might it has left that there must be a general election, for a policy of protection or preferential trade within the Empire cannot be adopted without a direct mandate from the people; that the issue in the late election was not an issue between protectionists and free traders, but an issue between national safety and the perils of Socialism.

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Possibly Mr. MacDonald did make a mistake when he took half a dozen or so of Liberals and Socialists into his cabinet, including a couple of die-hard free traders on what they call principle. Possibly Mr. MacDonald made another mistake when he did not ask for the instant resignation of the members of his government who refused to abide by the policy of a majority of the cabinet. Undoubtedly it will be an unprecedented thing for any members of the government to rise up in their places in Parliament and by voice and vote oppose—and perhaps denounce—the policy of the government. But that is the kind of a man the Prime Minister is. He was asked to form a National government as a result of a political crisis. He assumed that responsibility and was sustained by the vote of a tremendous majority of the people. He formed a National government, not a party government. He could not have formed a National government if he had not incorporated in it representatives of all the political elements opposed to Socialism.

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The Prime Minister did not do what he could have done when the Ministry was proved to be divided in economic opinion. He could have turned the dissenters out of the government and filled their places with assenters. If Mr. MacDonald had done that he would have been acting in accordance with precedent, and his course would have been justified by the voice of public opinion. If the dissenters had done what they should have done, they would have walked out of the cabinet without waiting to be kicked out. They have preferred to stay in and attempt to justify their course to Parliament. Possibly after the dissenters have explained their position, they may decide to adopt the policy of the majority and become loyal supporters of the government.

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We do not know about that. Nobody can know about it. We must all wait and see what happens. But we are quite sure about one thing. Whatever interesting developments there may be, there will not be another general election for several years. If the new constitutional precedent the Prime Minister has established or is merely attempting to establish should not be accepted by the majority in Parliament, and Mr. MacDonald considers it is his duty to resign, he will resign; but if he resigns he will not petition the Sovereign to grant him a parliamentary dissolution and another appeal to the people. He will place his resignation of the position of Prime Minister in the hands of the King and recommend that his successor be one of the leaders of the party which plainly has the confidence of a vast majority of the people. The plainly indicated burning desire of Liberals in Great Britain and in Canada that a policy of protection at home and preferential trade within the Empire shall be dished will be thoroughly thwarted.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

LIFE

Life, with the splendor and blaze
of it;
Life, and the colorful ways of it;
Life, the strange game,
Never the same;
Life—Ah, the infinite maze of it!

Life, with the wonder and fire of it;
Life, and man's endless desire of it;
Gain or defeat,
Still life is sweet;
Where is the heart that could tire
of it?

Life, with the strife and turmoil
of it;
Life, with the struggle and toil of it;
In every mood
Still someway good,
Life—through the whole, magic coil
of it!

WAGE REDUCTIONS TO BE DISCUSSED

Saanich Municipal Bodies Will Hold Joint Meeting for Studying Economy Proposals

A joint meeting of the Saanich Council, School Board and Police Commissoin, at which salaries of municipal employees will be considered and economies may be effected, will be held shortly as a result of the action of the council in endorsing the suggestion of the police commission to have this done.

At the commission meeting, opposition to any reductions in the salaries of the police force, unless the cut was to be made uniform throughout the municipality, was voiced by Commissioner Lewis Goddard.

Commissioner Goddard stated that he understood a 10 per cent cut was to be made in the wages of the members of the police force and possibly other municipal employees. "If the other employees of the municipality are not cut, I shall certainly oppose any reductions in police wages," he said.

During the meeting, criticism of the recent action of Reeve Crouch in reprimanding two juvenile thieves, instead of having them brought before the court, was voiced by Commissioner A. E. Scaife. Reeve Crouch, however, stated he had felt that in this case it was more a personal matter than the business of the board, and if the opinion of the board was not favorable towards him, it would make little difference in future cases of a similar nature.

Tides at Victoria

Time of tides (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1932.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1	1:26	4.7	9:06	9.0	16:26	4.6	22:48	8.6
2	1:30	5.8	9:24	9.0	17:14	5.4	.....	.....
3	.....	.....	9:43	8.7	18:05	6.4	.....	.....
4	.....	.....	10:10	10.0	18:58	7.4	.....	.....
5	.....	.....	10:40	10.8	19:55	8.7	.....	.....
6	.....	.....	11:19	10.3	20:15	9.4	.....	.....
7	.....	.....	11:55	10.2	20:55	9.4	.....	.....
8	6:55	9.2	6:50	8.1	12:08	9.8	21:54	9.6
9	7:10	9.1	9:49	8.8	13:15	8.4	22:11	9.2
10	7:26	8.9	10:55	8.3	13:54	8.0	22:48	8.7
11	7:42	8.7	12:10	7.7	14:31	7.9	23:28	8.6
12	7:55	8.6	13:32	7.1	15:12	7.3	23:51	8.5
13	8:10	8.7	15:06	6.4	16:15	6.5	.....	.....
14	0:15	4.5	6:22	8.7	18:08	5.7	18:48	5.8
15	0:10	5.2	6:35	8.6	16:42	4.8	.....	.....
16	.....	.....	8:45	8.9	17:20	4.0	.....	.....
17	.....	.....	9:10	9.3	17:55	3.3	.....	.....
18	.....	.....	9:28	9.2	18:30	2.8	.....	.....
19	.....	.....	9:47	9.4	18:04	2.1	.....	.....
20	.....	.....	10:19	9.7	19:35	1.5	.....	.....
21	.....	.....	10:59	8.8	20:10	1.0	.....	.....
22	.....	.....	11:44	9.9	20:45	0.7	.....	.....
23	.....	.....	12:40	8.7	21:22	0.7	.....	.....
24	6:40	8.6	9:00	8.4	13:26	9.5	23:00	1.1
25	6:40	8.4	10:02	7.8	14:15	8.9	22:36	1.8
26	6:49	8.4	11:10	7.1	15:16	8.2	23:15	2.5
27	7:01	8.4	12:15	6.8	16:32	7.4	23:50	3.0
28	7:16	8.5	13:21	5.8	18:20	6.6	.....	.....
29	0:20	4.6	7:85	8.8	1:30	4.3	21:14	6.2
30	0:30	5.0	7:50	9.1	13:35	3.3	.....	.....
31	.....	.....	8:11	9.4	18:38	2.6	.....	.....

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1932.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:27	17	8:00	4:[illegible]
2	8:06	4:28	18	7:59	4:49
3	8:06	4:29	19	7:58	4:50
4	8:06	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:06	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:06	4:32	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:06	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:05	4:34	24	7:53	4:57
9	8:05	4:35	25	7:52	4:58
10	8:05	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:02
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:02	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1932.

Day	Rises	Sets
1	0:48 a.m.	11:57 a.m.
(Last Quarter on 1st)		
2	1:11 a.m.	12:17 p.m.
3	1:34 a.m.	12:41 p.m.
4	4:58 a.m.	1:12 p.m.
5	5:17 a.m.	1:56 p.m.
6	7:27 a.m.	2:52 p.m.
7	8:33 a.m.	4:01 p.m.
(New Moon on 7th)		
8	9:08 a.m.	5:17 p.m.
9	9:32 a.m.	6:34 p.m.
10	9:53 a.m.	7:46 p.m.
11	10:12 a.m.	8:58 p.m.
12	10:27 a.m.	10:08 p.m.
13	10:40 a.m.	11:13 p.m.
14	10:53 a.m.	.....
15	11:08 a.m.	0:16 a.m.
(First Quarter on 15th)		
16	11:24 a.m.	1:28 a.m.
17	11:44 a.m.	2:33 a.m.
18	12:10 p.m.	3:48 a.m.
19	12:45 p.m.	4:56 a.m.
20	1:28 p.m.	6:02 a.m.
21	2:33 p.m.	7:01 a.m.
22	3:46 p.m.	7:47 a.m.
23	5:06 p.m.	8:23 a.m.
(Full Moon on 23rd)		
24	6:22 p.m.	8:45 a.m.
25	7:35 p.m.	9:11 a.m.
26	9:17 p.m.	9:29 a.m.
27	10:24 p.m.	9:48 a.m.
28	11:39 p.m.	10:02 a.m.
29	.....	10:21 a.m.
30	1:23 a.m.	10:44 a.m.
(Last Quarter on 30th)		
31	2:46 a.m.	11:12 a.m.

Note.—These times are correct to within one or two minutes. The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

VICTORIA SCOUTS LAUDED BY CHIEF

Lord Baden-Powell Praises Dress of Local Representatives at Vancouver Meeting

High praise of the showing made by Victoria Boy Scouts in the recent patrol leaders' competition held in Vancouver, was voiced by Lord Baden-Powell, Chief Scout, in a letter to the chief executive Scout commissioner in Canada, John A. Stiles, of Ottawa, a copy of which has been received here by Lord Colville, district Scout commissioner. The competition was open to Boy Scouts of Canada and the United States.

In his letter, the Chief Scout says: "I am pleased to read in the report of the Boy Scouts of America that the Boy Scouts from Victoria made a better showing than their American brothers as to details of correct uniforms. In this respect I should like to thank the Boy Scouts in Victoria on this good turn they have done for the British movement by being correctly dressed and taking a pride in their uniform as Scouts."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

CHILDREN'S AID HOME

Sir,—For the benefit of Mr. A. P. Cooper, of Cadboro Bay Road, and of the public who may have read a letter written by this gentleman in detrimental vein with regards to responsibility and provision for a group of children taken care of by the Children's Aid Society, I wish to make several points clearer.

I would here just suggest that Mr. Cooper should have interested himself enough to have investigated this matter a little before airing views of which I find he knew practically nothing. I have taken the trouble to make some inquiries, have visited the home and find—not what Mr. Cooper designates "a flimsy wooden building (after all, have not the people of Victoria seen more than one up-to-date modern building, with every fire protection, a prey to the flames?) but a building that was at one time a fine old residence. Old, granted; but renewed and rearranged with lighted fire escape, fire alarm, fire buckets, etc. All the small children occupy the lower floor, where they could be quickly removed, should occasion arise. Here they occupy large, warm sunny rooms and seem very happy. Nowhere in the home did I find the overcrowding I was led to expect. What is considered bed space? Does Mr. Cooper know? Again I make the suggestion that he inform himself. Also, in my visit to the home I saw no danger of overheated stoves; in fact, they have no heating stoves. This is not the heating system.

Destructive criticism is a crime of which many are guilty without realizing the extent of the injury. It warps and rots the very fabric of our civilization. Had Mr. Cooper no word of commendation? Nothing helpful or constructive to say?

I also found on inquiry that the board of directors of this home is made up of representatives from quite a number of our leading organizations, some of whom have had twenty-five years' experience in missionary and welfare work here in our city. Surely, in the capable hands of this group, nothing that is to the benefit of these children is allowed to pass unnoticed. This board fully realizes the necessity of a new home building, and in view of the present financial depression has done considerable towards this end.

I hope I have made myself easily understood. Our friend seemed so exercised over the safety of these children.

A. E. FRANCES.

3350 Orchard Avenue, Victoria, B.C., January 28, 1932.

THE FLAG

Sir,—I read with interest the letters from your correspondents in The Daily Colonist of January 23 on "The Flag."

We are, indeed, grateful to have a Minister of Education like Mr. J. Hinchliffe who thinks, and acts, in the best interests of the rising young Canadians. We are also indebted to Mr. Camperdown Pierce for the trouble and care he has taken in the matter of reasonable school patriotism. I am sure the children will enjoy it now, and more fully appreciate it in the near future.

I would like to say with regard to Captain F. G. Norris' letter, that being in England at the time of Queen Victoria's Jubilee, I remember there was a question as to what flags might legally be flown. An authoritative pronouncement was made through the daily press stating that the Union Jack might be correctly flown by any of the public. But that the Royal Standard, being the Queen's personal flag, should not be used. I think this sanction has been upheld ever since, and makes a precedent which may safely be followed.

L. P. KNIGHT.

Marchmont House, Duncan, B.C., January 27, 1932.

DESTRUCTION OF FORESTS

Sir,—The present rate of overcutting and destruction taking place in our forests can have only one ending, namely prohibitive prices for lumber, paper and all wood products in the very near future, which will very seriously retard development of the country, as wood and paper enter more largely into our economic development than any other product.

The people must not be deceived by present low prices, prices which are largely due to Government encouragement of overproduction of these particular commodities. As soon as the public has recovered from its hysteria over the present public mind depression, and begin buying, living and acting normally, business will experience a boom that will exceed anything in the past. Advertising will of course start this movement quicker than anything else, as advertising is the greatest known stimulus to business, in fact it is the foundation of success in every line of endeavor.

Stocks of merchandise on the shelves today are so small that when orders begin to flow, every machine will have to be put into commission in order to meet the demand. When this time arrives, and in my humble opinion, it will arrive very soon, and the present surpluses of wood and lumber are used up and they find out how far they will now have to go back into the bush to replenish the supply, prices of these products will begin to soar and the only way that any sane balance in prices can be maintained in the future is through Government control of cutting; this with an increase in fire prevention methods would reduce the present appalling destruction and waste in our forests to a minimum. It is, of course, a waste of money and effort to plant tiny seedlings as long as we permit the unrestricted cutting of mature trees at a rate ninety-nine times faster than we are planting the seedlings.

We are even at present cutting in such remote sections that it takes in some cases, from two to three years to drive the wood down stream to the mills, which is still further proof, if such were needed, that we are rapidly nearing the end of our supplies.

Prices are lower for everything today than they will again be in this generation (especially wood and wood products as trees cannot be reproduced inside of fifty years), hence I urgently advise the public to "Buy anything and everything now."

When our forests are gone, of what use will all the highways be that we are amassing such huge debts to construct? China, Spain, Dalmatia, Arabia, Persia and Palestine are the answer to this, though these countries were once well forested and were lands "flowing with milk and honey." We are building highways in order to show the scenery and are at the same time slashing down and burning up the scenery as fast as we build the highways. We are doing everything in our power to produce conditions that will start forest fires and then have to spend huge sums in an effort to extinguish our own man-made conflagrations. Therefore, we are not only cutting down the trees, but are also preparing the ground for the complete destruction of everything we leave, through the dry fire kindling slash left on the forest floor. This is like the man who decided to commit suicide and who was so anxious to make a clean job of it that he took a strong dose of poison, walked out on a plank overhanging a high waterfall and then shot himself.

We must not lose sight of the fact that the loss of our forests not only means prohibitive prices for wood, with the loss of our manufacturing industries, but also the loss of our agriculture as well, and that even today we are feeding thousands of our citizens and their livestock to prevent their starvation, a condition produced by lack of forests; hence this is something that we do not have to wait for the future to demonstrate, as it is present today.

The Canadian press has rendered patriotic service in donating columns of valuable space in the papers to the cause of forest conservation as well as columns of strongly expressed editorials on this important subject. This applies to practically every newspaper in Canada. If no action is taken on this, the most vital problem that faces the Canadian people, it will not be the fault of the press.

When a major calamity occurs, which occur it surely will, either through flood, forest fire, wind, insect scourge, drought or famine, I would not care to be the leader of any government which had not made, at least, an effort in the direction of the prevention of such calamities. As these warnings are all a matter of record, having been printed in the press from Cape Breton to Victoria, time and time again, no one can claim ignorance of the facts as an excuse for inaction.

All Canada needs is "honesty and common sense" in government and all will be well. The near future will show whether we have these qualities in our leaders or not, and if not, then it is up to the people.

FRANK J. D. BARNJUM.

Geneva, Switzerland, January 13, 1932.

CHILDREN'S BATHING POOL

Sir,—During the Saanich municipal election, the work of the Saanich Board of Trade as sponsors of the proposed bathing pool for children at Brentwood Bay came under discussion and a number of residents received incorrect information as to the proposed location. In order to place the project clearly before the public, I wish to point out that during the Summer, the tide is low during the middle of the day, and unfortunately the lower portions of most of the beaches on the Saanich Arm are covered with rocks and dirty seaweed, with the result that the children cannot use them with comfort during the best part of the day.

This condition was brought to the attention of the Saanich Board of Trade. The situation was investigated; several plans for its improvement were suggested, and the following was adopted:

The Saanich Municipality owns a small park at the foot of Verdier Avenue. In front of this is a fair-sized, flat beach, which is not used by the children at present, as it is dry all day and is covered with rocks and muddy gravel.

A concrete wall can be built on this beach to form a pool about fifty feet wide and 100 feet long, having a depth of water varying from nothing at the beach to four feet at the deepest part. The water would be renewed every day by the action of the tide. Mr. Allen, the municipal engineer, kindly made a rough survey of the site, and estimated the wall could be built for about $750.

We understand that Vancouver has a similar pool at Kitsilano Beach, only on a much larger scale, the wall being about 800 feet long. The bottom of the pool and the beach outside would be covered with sand, thus making an ideal playground for the youngsters. Only those who are in close contact with children during the Summer know how they miss the sand.

Through various entertainments, the Saanich Board of Trade has accumulated a fund for this work, which now amounts to about $300. They hope to be in a position to build the wall before the holidays start this Summer.

H. B. BABINGTON,
Chariman Bathing Pool Committee,
Saanich Board of Trade, Brentwood Bay, B.C., January 27, 1932.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 29, 1882)

The Electoral District of Kootenay has fifteen registered voters and sends two representatives to the Legislature at an annual expense to the taxpayers of British Columbia of more than $2,000. It is nearly time something was done about this constituency.

Several new dwellings in different parts of the city are in the course of erection or in contemplation of erection. Besides large mercantile establishments recently constructed on Wharf and Store Streets, J. Deans is having a large and beautifully designed house built on the corner of Fort and Vancouver Streets.

The schooner Grace, recently fitted with a compound engine, steamed from Victoria to Texada Island and back to Nanaimo, nearly 150 miles, and only consumed one ton of coal. This indeed speaks well for the type of engine now being built in this city.

The report that Captain Thornton and his assistant were drowned when the schooner Orcas was wrecked has been proven false. They appeared in Port Angus yesterday, evidently none the worse for their experience.

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EQUIPMENT TO BE TABULATED

Esquimalt Board Approves Having Inventory of All School Properties

Trustee A. A. Warder, newly-elected chairman of the Esquimalt School Board, intends to conduct the affairs of the municipality's educational system along business lines. He has already ordered, with the approval of the other members of the board, an inventory to be made of all school equipment.

It was stated at the meeting last night that no inventory of school properties had been kept in the past and there was no way of ascertaining what equipment was contained in the grade and high schools. The chairman also stated he would like to examine the filing system now being used and requested complete details of reports, annual, auditors' and those of school principals. He said he was not criticizing the present system, but wanted to have all business conducted with care and economy where economy was possible.

With regard to estimates of revenue and expenditure, he suggested that a special committee be appointed. In the past the estimates have been taken care of by the board as a whole. His suggestion will likely be followed when the estimates are presented for consideration at the next meeting.

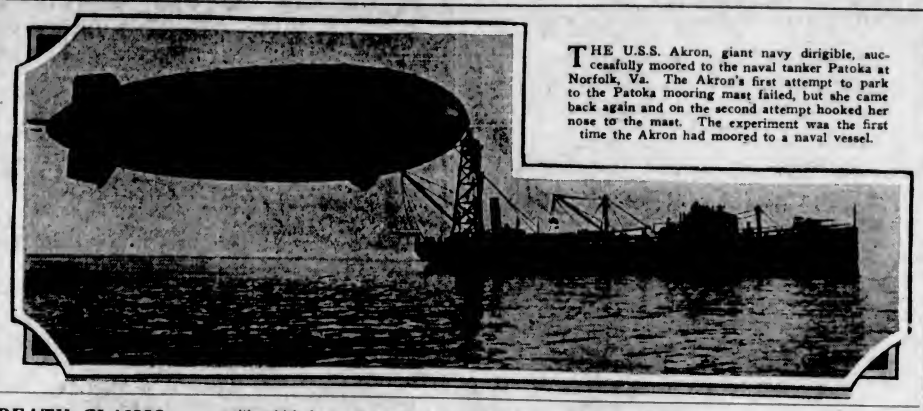
SCHOOL SUPPLIES

In connection with the requisition for supplies from the principal of Lampson Street School, Trustee Alex Lockley suggested that the principal secure all supplies needed for the full year, instead of attempting to cut down and then find a shortage. He explained it would be cheaper to buy larger amounts and the board would save money in the purchase. Small lots, he said, would cost more than the amount saved by cutting the requisition.

Tenders will be called for supplies and approximately $750 will be expended. The committee appointed to receive the tenders is composed of the following: The chairman, Secretary S. A. Pomeroy and the principal, Hugh Creelman.

Reports of the school nurse, Miss M. Morrison, and the high school principal were received and adopted.

U.S. Naval Dirigible Moors to Tanker-Tender



THE U.S.S. Akron, giant navy dirigible, successfully moored to the naval tanker Patoka at Norfolk, Va. The Akron's first attempt to park to the Patoka mooring mast failed, but she came back again and on the second attempt hooked her nose to the mast. The experiment was the first time the Akron had moored to a naval vessel.

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DEATH CLAIMS EDMUND P. KAY

Resident of Victoria for Twenty Years Passes, Following Illness of Several Weeks

After an illness of several weeks' duration, Edmund P. Kay, aged fifty-five, of 1721 Richmond Avenue, died yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital. Mr. Kay had been a resident of Victoria for more than twenty years and had a large circle of friends, having been in years past secretary of the Victoria Liberal Association.

Born in Hartlepool, England, in 1876, Mr. Kay came out to Canada more than twenty-five years ago and first settled in Souris, Man. From there he went to Vancouver, where he engaged in the importing business, and eventually came here. He had been a lawyer in England but did not practise in Canada. He was a notary public for many years and interested in a number of activities, particularly in the North Cananea Mining Corporation, in connection with which he made several trips to Mexico on behalf of Victoria shareholders.

Mr. Kay leaves a widow and two sons, Ronald and Douglas. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

CHOIR'S ORGANIZER DIES IN AUSTRALIA

Norman Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clarke, 46 Sims Street, who was touring with the Westminster Glee Singers up to October, 1930, when he returned to Victoria from Australia to take up his studies at the High School here, has received word of the death, on November 22, at Durban, South Africa, of E. Branscomb, organizer of the Westminster Singers. Mr. Branscombe died of heart failure.

The Westminster Glee Singers visited Victoria less than two years ago.

By a new method being tried out in Germany an affected tooth is enclosed in a case with the decayed portion exposed, and on this acid is dropped to deaden the pain and permit the almost immediate removal of the decayed part.

HEAR CONVICTS' APPEALS TODAY

Frank Sorge, Pal of Bagley, Is Among Prisoners Before Court Here

In charge of a squad of officers of the Provincial Police four convicts were brought to Victoria yesterday afternoon and at 11 o'clock this morning will personally present their appeals to the Appeal Court of British Columbia here.

Frank Sorge, whose sensational escape from prison with William Bagley and others, a day or two before his appeal was slated for hearing, is one of the quartette. Sorge was retaken by police officers, but intimated his desire to continue the appeal against sentence for burglary. He had an aggregate of eight years to serve, not taking into account any sentence that might be given him for breaking prison.

The others are: Alexander Titmuss, of Vancouver, who is reappearing, permission having been given him to present affidavits concerning alleged conversations between jurors and the public during his trial for breaking and entering. James Phillips is appealing against sentence and Frank A. Gloster will continue his appeal, which was adjourned to permit production of the transcript of evidence taken at his trial. He was sentenced for forgery in connection with a car deal in Vancouver.

R. C. C. Stewart, Victoria communist, sentenced to two years for inciting to mutiny, is still in Oakalla prison, awaiting the decision of the court on his appeal presented three weeks ago.

STREET CAR STRIKE THREATENS SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (AP).—Unless their pay warrants are cashed before next Tuesday, employees of the Seattle municipal street railway voted today to strike.

The decision, reached by a unanimous vote, was made at a meeting of the Car Men's Union, which started at 2 a.m. and lasted until after 4.

The meeting approved the action of its executive committee, which served a walkout notice on Mayor Robert H. Harlan, and voted to give the committee full power to handle the situation in any way it deemed necessary.

Dr. Cutter—I believe our wealthy patient will recover after all.

Dr. Slicer—Yes, it seems we have got over the worst!

Dr. Cutter—No, we still have to inform the relatives.

Dr. Wood's
Norway Pine Syrup

The Children's Coughs Worry The Mother

Mrs. C. W. Harper, Silver Water, Ont., writes:—"I was very much worried over the nasty cough my two children had, and I had tried several remedies to no effect.

One day my husband was in the drug store and overheard a lady and the druggist discussing remedies, and she seemed very thankful to Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for relieving her children, so he came home with a bottle and in two days both the children were well."

Price 35c. a bottle; large family size 65c.; at all drug and general stores; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

1932 OFFICIALS ARE APPOINTED

F. Carter Elected President of Veterans of France at Annual Meeting—Reports Submitted

F. Carter was unanimously elected president of the Veterans of France for the ensuing year at the annual meeting held last night at the association's headquarters.

The newly chosen prexy succeeds F. Green, who guided the organization through a successful term. The meeting was largely attended, and the various yearly reports were well received and adopted as satisfactory.

Complete list of officers follows: F. Green, honorary president; F. Carter, president; A. E. Holmes, first vice-president; J. Lowther, second vice-president; A. C. Howard, treasurer; Joseph Bloom, secretary; L. Orchard, serbeant-at-arms; council members and chairmen of various committees: sick committee, J. Taylor; publicity, W. Cooke; sports, F. Whitford; finance, T. Ray; ways and means, H. Burnett and C. S. Crossby.

Armistice Day period chairman is A. C. Howard.

Sunrise Service Will Be Held at Beacon Hill Park

The Easter Sunrise Service of the Victoria City Temple will be held this year on the sloping plateau fronting Beacon Hill Park, instead of Mount Tolmie, according to an announcement made yesterday by Rev. Dr. Clem Davies. The change has been made because of the early arrival of Easter this year and the possibility of cool weather prevailing.

The service this year will be held on March 27, and the area to be used is the side of the park which slopes to the sea on Marine Drive.

SCIENCE FINDS NEW MERITS IN ALL-BRAN

Has "Bulk" and Vitamin B for Constipation, and Iron for Blood

In the past ten years millions have found Kellogg's ALL-BRAN the safe "cereal way" to overcome common constipation—with the headaches, backaches, loss of appetite and energy, that so often result.

Behind this success is the proved effectiveness of ALL-BRAN. Laboratory tests show ALL-BRAN brings two things needed to overcome common constipation: "Bulk" to exercise the intestines. Vitamin B to tone the intestinal tract. ALL-BRAN also contains twice as much blood-building iron, by weight, as beef liver.

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How much more pleasant it is to use this delicious cereal than to abuse your system with pills and drugs—so often habit-forming.

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Obituary

REED—The death took place yesterday, at the Jubilee Hospital, of Elizabeth Reed, aged sixty-eight years, a native of Bellwood, Ont., and a resident of Keating for the past nine years. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Lottie Punt, Seven Oaks; Mrs. Charles Lilley, Edmonton, and Miss Mildred Reed, Seven Oaks. The remains are resting at the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

CHIM VIN—The funeral of Chim Yin, whose death occurred on January 24, will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home. Interment will be in the Chinese Cemetery.

YIP—There passed away yesterday morning, at 617 Herald Street, Chan Yip, in his fifty-sixth year. He came to Victoria from China forty years ago. He is survived by one brother, Chan Sing, of the Chinese Employment Association in Vancouver. Funeral services will be held from the Sands Mortuary Company's chapel on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

SCOTT—There passed away last night at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Andrew Scott, in his eighty-first year. Mr. Scott was born in Scotland, and came here two months ago from Piapot, Saskatchewan, where he lived for thirty years. He is survived by his widow and two brothers, Alexander, of Central Butte, Sask., and Gilbert, of Brigden, Ont. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements.

MacDONALD—A number of intimate friends attended the funeral service for Mrs. Harriet G. MacDonald, of Saskatoon, which was held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. G. Wilson D.D., conducted the service and the remains were forwarded on the night boat to Vancouver, en route to Saskatoon, where interment will be made. The following, all members of the session of First United Church, were the pallbearers: John Wallace, J. Strang, S. J. Drake, J. G. MacFarlane, F. M. McGregor and A. McKeachie.

PILCHER—The funeral of Frances Mary Pilcher will take place this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CRAWFORD—The funeral of Mrs. Lena Crawford will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MEYLAND—A large number of friends were present yesterday afternoon at the funeral service, held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel for Christian Meyland. Rev. T. A. Jansen officiated, and during the course of an impressive service two hymns were sung, "I Need Thee Every Hour" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." A large number of beautiful floral offerings were received. The Masonic Order attended in a body, Worshipful Master C. Ozard, of Confederation Lodge No. 116, A.F. & A.M., assisted by Worshipful Bro. Rev. Canon Stocken, chaplain, conducting the Masonic service at the graveside. The following members of the Masonic Lodge acted as pallbearers: Wor. Bro. J. C. Stewart, Wor. Bro. E. Garland, J. W. Flaherty, W. H. Ozard, J. Creighton and W. Moyser.

LORD — This afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the funeral service will be conducted by Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, for Mrs. Annie Lord, whose death occurred on Wednesday. Interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

QUICK ACTION SALE
Of the B. H. Cooke Stock—A Huge Success!

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THE SUITS
Cut from high-grade cloths, including 16, 18 and 20-oz. pure-wool serges. Genuine English and Scotch tweeds and worsteds; also whipcords, bannockburns, etc.

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Many exclusive garments, including the Studington, Zambrene and other British-made garments, as well as chinchillas, camel hair, tweeds, llamafleece, etc.

THE PRICES:

$25.00 Suits	$12.75	$25.00 Overcoats	$13.50
$30.00 Suits	$17.50	$30.00 Overcoats	$16.75
$35.00 Suits	$20.00	$35.00 Overcoats	$19.75
$40.00 Suits	$23.75	$40.00 Overcoats	$22.50
$45.00 Suits	$27.50	$45.00 Overcoats	$25.00

MEN'S UNDERWEAR OF MERIT
Men's Combinations, pure wool, Hatchway no-button style; long or short sleeves, in pure white or natural color. Regular $5.00. Sale $3.45
With short sleeve and short leg. Sale $3.15

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS
Made to Sell as High as $2.50
Made by one of Canada's finest makers. Cut from woven and striped broadcloths, etc. Collar-attached style. Many popular patterns. Sale 95c

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Made from woven stripe broadcloth in many splendid washing colors. Complete with two separate stiff collars. Regular $2.75. Sale Price $1.95

MEN'S SHIRTS
Striped broadcloth, in narrow or wide stripe; light or dark colors. Each has separate soft collar. Regular $1.50. Sale $1.15

MEN'S PYJAMAS
Made from a heavy fleecy flannelette and finished with silk frogs. In plaids, stripes, etc.
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Reg. to $1.50. Sale 95c

EXTRA
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Men's Sample Raincoats
Pure Wool English Gabardines and Aviation Cloths, cut full and roomy in the raglan style. Some are silk lined. Sizes to 42. No two alike. Just twenty in the lot to be sold Saturday at these prices:
$28.00 Raincoats for $17.50
$25.00 Raincoats for $16.50
$20.00 Raincoats for $12.50
$15.00 Raincoats for $8.75
$11.00 Raincoats for $7.85
$ 8.50 Raincoats for $4.50

MEN'S HATS
Rich fur felt, with leather inner band and all-satin lining, in fedora or snap brim styles. Reg. to $5.00. On sale at $2.95

MEN'S NECKWEAR
Pure silk in rich stripes. Paisley and floral designs. Light or dark colors. Made to sell to $2.00. Sale 95c

MEN'S GOLF SETS
Pullover style, V neck Sweater, with Golf Hose to match. Handsome plaid and check designs, in grey, brown, etc. Regular to $6.50. Sale $3.45

MEN'S SOCKS
Made from pure Botany wool in many handsome designs, in brown, tan, navy, grey and blue. Regular 75c. Sale 55c

MEN'S SWEATER COATS
Handsome pure wool garments in many fancy weaves. Rich color combinations of red, green, brown, grey; plaids, checks, etc. All sizes to 44. Regular to $9.00. Sale $4.95

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS
Pure Irish Linen with narrow hemstitched hem, good generous size. Sale Price, each 15c
(Limit, 6 to a Customer)

MEN'S CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS
Narrow or wide hem. Made of fine even thread cambric. A splendid quality. Sale, each 10c

MEN'S GOLF HOSE
All pure wool in many handsome designs and color combinations. All sizes. Reg. $2.50. Sale $1.65

MEN'S PLUS-FOURS
Cut from pure wool tweed cloths; Semi-Ready and other makes. All thoroughly tailored and well finished. Regular at $8.00. Sale Price $4.95

MEN'S NECKWEAR
In silk and rayon. Scores of handsome designs in stripes and plain colors, including Baratheas. Regular value $1.00. Sale 49c

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Cut from English silk broadcloth and silk rayon, in many handsome stripe and check designs. Made with double cuffs and finished with two separate collars. All sizes. Made to sell at $5.00. Sale $3.25

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Choice Breakfast Bacon, sliced, lb., 16¢; piece cut, lb.....15¢
Australian Guaranteed Pastry Flour, 10-lb. paper bags....29¢

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Quaker Strawberry Jam 2½-lb. jar.....29¢
Holsum Tender Green Cut Beans, 2 tins.....25¢
Lynn Valley Peaches in heavy syrup, 2 tins.....35¢
Sunflower Pink Table Salmon ½'s, 4 tins.....25¢
Ogilvie or Robin Hood Rolled Oats, 6-lb. sack.....25¢
Wheat Hearts for porridge 5-lb. sack.....25¢
Kellogg's All-Bran, pkt.....19¢
Icing Sugar, 3 lbs.....22¢
Soft Brown Sugar, 4 lbs., 24¢
Pearl Barley, 4 lbs.....19¢
Blue Ribbon Baking Powder 3-lb. tin.....69¢

Choice Quality Broken Pekoe Tea, lb., 35¢; 3 lbs. for....95¢
1 lb. Banquet Coffee and 1 lb. Lump Sugar.....48¢

Pride of Canada Pure Maple Syrup, quart tin.....65¢
Aylmer Soups All kinds, 3 tins.....25¢
Shelled Walnuts Fresh sweet pieces, lb., 29¢
Fels-Naptha Soap 10-bar carton.....69¢
Australian Lunch Tongue Large tin.....19¢
Libby's Pure Tomato Catsup 2 bottles.....29¢

Christie's Cream-Filled Sandwich Biscuits, special, lb.....28¢

Christie's Snowflake Sodas, plain or salted, large packet, special.....16¢
Hekham's Dutch Rusks Special, per pkt.....20¢
Peek, Frean's British Ice Wafers, regular 60c lb., 48¢
Chocolate Buds Regular 40c lb., for.....28¢
Rum and Butter Toffee Regular 40c lb., for.....28¢
Chocolate Honey Chews Special, per lb.....20¢

ORANGE SPECIAL
Regular 25c dozen, for.....20¢
Regular 40c dozen, for.....27¢
Regular 50c dozen, for.....35¢
Fine Cooking Apples Per box.....$1.45
Baldwin, per box.....$1.60
Northern Spy, per box, $1.60

Imperial Valley Grapefruit 6 for.....25¢
Nice Juicy Lemons, doz., 15¢
Good Cooking Apples 6 lbs.....25¢
Fresh Rhubarb, 2 lbs.....25¢
New Dates, 4 lbs.....25¢
Frozen Strawberries, pail, 25¢
Large Jamaica Grapefruit 2 for.....15¢
New Smyrna Figs Regular 25c lb., for.....17¢
Fresh Comb Honey Each.....23¢
New Australian Table Raisins Regular 35c pkt., for.....29¢

VEGETABLE SPECIAL
Fine Potatoes, 25-lb. bag for 29¢
Sooke Turnips, 20-lb. bag for 25¢
Fine Carrots, 20 lbs. for.....25¢

JAP ORANGES Box..... 65c

Root Artichokes, 6 lbs....25¢
Head Lettuce, each.....10¢
Fine Local Cauliflowers Each, 35¢ and.....20¢
Fresh Savoy Cabbage Each, 10¢ and.....5¢
Good Sound Onions 10 lbs. for.....25¢
Fine Sprouts, lb.....10¢

Choice Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb.....25c
3 lbs. for.....67¢
Finest Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb...28c
3 lbs. for.....79¢

Picnic Hams, per lb.....13¢
Cottage Rolls, per lb.....15¢
Extra Choice Home-Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb.....35¢
Delicious Jellied Ox Tongue, sliced, per lb.....35¢
Very Mild Cheese, per lb.....19¢
Peanut Butter, 2 lbs. for.....23¢
Pure Lard, per lb.....10¢
Tasty Home-Cooked Jellied Corned Beef, sliced, per lb.....18¢

Fletcher's Mild Sugar-Cured Hams, whole or half, per lb.....19c

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS
B.C. Fresh Extras, per dozen, 21¢
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BIG LAMB SPECIAL
Shoulders, lb.....10¢
Loins, lb.....15¢
Legs, lb.....20¢

Choice Quality Pork
Shoulders, lb.....8¢
Loins, lb.....15¢
Legs, lb.....15¢
Pure Pork Sausage, lb.....15¢
Dressed Rabbits, 2 for.....45¢
Sliced Liver, lb.....10¢
Chicken, lb.....29¢
Fowl, lb.....20¢
Turkey, lb.....25¢
Lamb Chops, lb.....15¢
Stewing Veal, lb.....10¢

Choice Quality Beef
Rolled Ribs of Beef, lb.....15¢
Rump Roasts, Sirloin Tip Roasts.....Per lb. 15¢
Prime Ribs (cut short), lb.....20¢
Sirloin and T-Bone, lb.....22¢
Pot Roast Boiling Beef, Minced Beef and Beef Sausage.....Per lb. 10c

Milk-Fed Veal
Shoulders, lb.....15¢
Rumps and Legs, lb.....25¢

Smoked Filleted Kippers, lb....15¢
Fresh Cod Fillets, lb.....10¢
3 lbs. for.....25¢
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PUT HALF-TIME PLAN IN FORCE

Fifty Employees of Liquor Control Board Placed on New Schedule of Working Hours

Officials of the Liquor Control Board confirmed yesterday putting into effect of part-time schedules for approximately fifty employees in the warehousing and vendors' stores, at an estimated saving of several thousand dollars monthly. These employees will be rotated in their employment, and will receive an average layoff of two weeks each month, it was stated.

Branches under the control of the board in Victoria and Vancouver are chiefly concerned. Vendors will remain on full time, but many of their aides and assistants in the stores and warehouses go on the new basis, under the orders now in effect.

Concurrently, it was announced that the total number of employees under the board was forty-five less than when the new control body came into operation, three years ago. Lessened volume of purchases by the public of the wares carried by the board had made the new move advisable, it was explained.

Movies depicting the life of Christ, it is stated, still draw record crowds in India, and now life stories of Buddha, Rama and Krishna appear on the screen.

The international machine-wire cartel in Europe has been reconstituted for a five-year period.

PUBLIC HEALTH SOUND IN B.C.

Dr. H. E. Young Shows Favorable Condition Was Maintained in 1931

"We are making real advances in health work in British Columbia. We have always kept before us the idea of prevention and have worked on the basis that in order to give effect to the methods of prevention we must be backed by an educated public opinion," Dr. Henry E. Young, Provincial Health Officer, comments in his 1931 report to Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary, now printed.

In a concise survey of health conditions in the province, Dr. Young shows that despite materially disturbed conditions due to the large influx of transients attracted by the British Columbia climate, the creation of concentration camps, and a general trend towards increase in under-nourishment, the public health generally was exceptionally good throughout the year.

The death rate from tuberculosis, under the new census figures, has fallen to 92 per 100,000 from 104, and the cancer death rate to 105 from 118 per 100,000 people. Next year, it is predicted, the reports will show British Columbia leading in the favorable low mortality rates in this and several other respects.

SERVICES MAINTAINED

During the year the department maintained all its usual services, and made headway in the direction of an educational campaign to enlist public co-operation on the preventive side of disease. Public health laboratories were kept up, and that at Vancouver was relocated in temporary buildings on Hornby Street, as it had outgrown its original quarters.

Clinics for advice and treatment of social diseases were maintained, the work being carried on quietly and with good results. In infectious diseases, smallpox fell to a bare thirty-seven cases in the period under review, diphtheria was reduced from 667 cases to 286, and other infectious troubles were cut down to a minimum, compared with the reports of the preceding year.

Notable advances were made in the direction of inspectional services in the schools, and except for the usual children's ailments of chicken-pox, measles, mumps, etc., little of a serious nature was there encountered. Upwards of 220,000 pamphlets and bulletins on public health topics were issued and distributed during the year.

CO-OPERATION VALUED

The work of health centres and other clinics throughout the province comes in for praise, and Dr. Young pays a cordial tribute to the civic officials of all British Columbia centres and to the close co-operation received from posts of the provincial police.

In general, Dr. Young sums 1931 up as a year of little untoward event in the maintenance of public health, but with decided gains made in the educational side of preventive treatment. He intimates that additional accommodation will be required in a number of service, but expresses the opinion that this can await the time when funds are available to make these additions.

MAYOR LEEMING IS RE-ELECTED

Anti-Vivisection Society Names Officials for Ensuing Term at Annual Meeting

Mayor David Leeming was re-elected president of the Antivivisection Society, at the annual meeting held in the Unity Hall, Yates Street, last night.

Other officers chosen were: Hon. vice-presidents, W. B. Pease and T. L. Boyden; first vice-president, Mme. Vivenot; second vice-president, G. B. Kitto; directors, Mrs. H. Crane, Miss N. Wyles, Miss Dora Kitto (secretary), G. Philbrook, H. Pate, H. Webster, H. Kroeger and Dr. Ellis Hallsor; ladies' committee, Mesdames W. J. Bonavia, W. Hornsby, L. Roseboom, P. Rissmuller, G. Riddle, E. Lawes, J. Stewart, J. Iverson, Jenkinson, and Misses Shrapnel, M. Walsh, Geach, A. Bossi and D. Hills.

During the course of the meeting it was decided to ask the City Council to investigate the use of animals in connection with the Jubilee Hospital.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The secretary read the year's report, showing great activity in the cause. The petition for the abolition of vivisection in Canada, which was signed last year by thousands of sympathizers throughout the Dominion, had not received a hearing on account of pressure of work in the Commons at Ottawa in 1931. The matter of shipping live horses to France for slaughter was promptly taken up by the society, which obtained 7,000 signatures to a petition to Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett asking that this traffic might cease, and "fortunately the conditions under which this traffic was being conducted will not be continued."

World Day for Animals is gaining support everywhere, the secretary continued, and the local society held a most successful tea in honor of the event. Monthly teas have also been arranged for the Winter months. A tea will be held on February 14 at 1135 McClure Street, the home of Mrs. Babington.

TWO SIGNBOARDS

Attention was also called to The Canadian Abolitionist, the organ of the federated societies in the Dominion, published at Montreal. The society now supports two signboards on Shelbourne and Fort Streets, respectively. Attention was also directed to the fact that Robert Browning, whose name is before the community today in connection with the drama, was a vice-president of the first antivivisection society in the world, founded in London in 1875.

Andrew McNeil, M.D., of England, a life member of the local society, had sent out an autographed copy of Kipling's story, "Thy Servant a Dog," to be disposed of for the society's funds. Other generous gifts had also been donated.

City & District

Chamber Meeting—The directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will meet at a luncheon gathering in the chamber dining-room at noon on Monday.

Birthday Greetings — Birthday greetings were extended to Alderman James Adam by members of the Victoria Rotary Club at the club's weekly luncheon meeting yesterday at noon.

Divorce Granted—Olive Josephine Stevens was granted a decree absolute of divorce from Nathaniel Henry Stevens by Mr. Justice Gregory in Supreme Court yesterday morning. Mr. Justice Gregory made no order in respect to the custody of a fourteen-year-old boy.

To Attend Services—Members of the Saanich Police Commission last night received an invitation from the Saanich Council to attend the morning church service at St. Michael's Church on Sunday, with members of the council and school board. The invitation was accepted by the commissioners.

Store Is Entered—A thief or thieves who entered the Fairfield Grocery, 259 Cook Street, early yesterday morning, stole about $12 worth of goods, according to a report given at the police station by Alex. Cruickshanks, proprietor. Entry was made through a rear window, in which a pane of glass was broken.

Ministerial Body—The monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association will be held on Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, in the Y.M.C.A. The special speaker will be W. E. Harper, assistant director, Dominion astrophysical observatory, who will give an address on the subject, "Poetic Allusions to Astronomy."

Car Without Light—B. A. Tobin was fined $5 by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday morning for parking his auto on Michigan Street without a tail light burning. He said his auto stalled and he did not think it necessary to show a light because the car was parked beneath an arc lamp.

Cancel Reunion—The 103rd Battalion, C.E.F., known as the Timber Wolves, will not hold a reunion this year owing to the difficulty of getting a full representation present. For years the members of the battalion, who are still resident here, have held a dinner and concert under Major K. P. Spurgin. It is hoped that next season these gatherings may be resumed.

Vancouver Wins Cup—President J. P. Watson, of the Victoria Rotary Club, announced at the weekly luncheon yesterday that the Vancouver club had won the specially-designed cup, donated by the local organization, for the best club attendance in three months. The contest closed with the meeting yesterday, Vancouver gaining 89.54 per cent and Victoria 88 per cent.

Spokes Club Meets—Members of the Rotary Spokes Club gathered at the home of J. V. Johnson, 2744 Avebury Avenue, last night. The occasion was a debate between President J. P. Watson and W. F. Pinfold, and Samuel Armstrong and Charles H. French, the subject being "Resolved, that state ownership of all public utilities is more beneficial to society than private ownership."

Prizes Presented—Winners in the Cloverdale Boys' and Girls' Poultry Club competition were presented with cash prizes by officials of the Department of Agriculture this week, at the Cloverdale School. Four prizes were awarded, as follows: First, L. Hill; second, Jean Routley; third, R. Harris; fourth, Robert Jameson. Motion pictures of provincial poultry work were shown during a brief entertainment that followed. The club was organized by Mrs. Arnold, of the Victoria Women's Institute.

Announcements

Money!! Money! Oh! dear, this money! Yes, it is an important consideration when contemplating any undertaking, but it is important also that one should keep courageous, and this is an impossibility when one is depressed and self-conscious by the knowledge that one is looking one's very worst. We all need courage. So do not begrudge money well spent—that is what it is for. Miss Hanman, 503 Sayward Building. Phone G 7642.

Ballroom Dancing—Mr. Crane, of the Bruce Crane Studio of Ballroom Dancing, Seattle, and late of Hollywood, will give a series of class and private lessons (Saturdays only). For particulars, phone "Carisima," Garden 6857.

Morning Special at Tyrrell's Hairdressing Parlors at David Spencer, Ltd., 9 till 10, without appointment. Marcel or finger wave, 50c; with shampoo, 75c; permanent wave, $5.75. All experienced operators.

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Schubert Club Recital, Shrine auditorium, Tuesday, February 2, 8:15 p.m. Guest artist, Aaron Stankevich, violinist. Tickets at Fletcher's, 55c, 80c; students, 30c.

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St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae, Monday, February 1, 8 p.m., Nurses' Home. Bridge and mah jong party. Reservations, members Alumnae.

Sale at Women's Workroom, Y.W.C.A. basement, Friday, January 29, 2 to 4 p.m.; new goods, fancy articles, made-over clothing.

Junior Musical Art Concert for the senior club, Shrine Auditorium, February 3, 8:15 p.m.

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Letters to the Editor

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FORESTS OF B.C.

Sir,—From time to time there has appeared in your valuable paper letters from Mr. Frank J. D. Barnjum, the last on January 21, 1932. In closing this letter he states that "we are mad or plain imbeciles." I am afraid Mr. Barnjum will find lots of these in British Columbia now and for a good many years to come, as the forests of British Columbia will be exploited as long as there is a demand for forest products.

Several tracts of timber have been purchased in this district by Mr. Barnjum for posterity. I do not think that Mr. Barnjum or anyone else need worry about posterity, because I know that God in His great mercy has provided for posterity just as he provided for those living in this day and generation.

The life of a tree could be likened to a human life. You can see them dying in infancy, some in their teens, others in middle life. We will say only about 50 or 60 per cent reach maturity. God has given to trees as well as humans and all earthly beings an allotted span of life.

I think the forests of British Columbia have reached their allotted span of life. They are ready for the harvest. From now on they will start to decay; in fact, one can see lots of it already. Yes, our forests are ripe. Let me quote a saying from Shakespeare in the "Taming of the Shrew":

"And so from hour to hour we ripe and ripe,
And then from hour to hour we rot and rot,
And thereby hangs a tale."

HARRY CLARK.

Duncan, B.C., January 26, 1932.

RAISINS FROM AUSTRALIA

Sir,—It was exquisitely gotten up—that pretty box from over the seas. Australia! How little that name means to most of us. I thought of the tall, lean "Aussies" we saw on the streets of London in war time. I thought of that powerful book, "For the Term of His Natural Life." I thought of the occasional Australian I have met with his oddly-preserved Cockney accent. I thought of a vaguely remembered branch of my family that emigrated to Australia after Waterloo, while my particular forebears chose Upper Canada.

Lost to us they are, for in those days a letter's postage was six shillings; consequently, correspondence did not flourish amongst the early Empire builders.

Those pioneers of one hundred odd years ago had no dole, no colonization schemes to aid them, no roads, no railroads. They were a tough breed. The very fact that they emigrated placed them among the ambitious and the hopeful. Irish, English, Scotch, they took their land. There was no going back or moving away. The new place-names were after towns and hamlets in their native land. Strange, foreign names crept in, too, for Waterloo year was very recent, and these were the returned men of the day.

Men accustomed to the stir of cities and the French wars found themselves voyaging up the St. Lawrence into the heart of the Ontario wilderness.

Log cabins went up. Grain was grown among the stumps. The inexperienced colonist often traded to the peddlers bits of a once fine wardrobe or pieces of plate for the more useful pots and pans of their new life.

Queen Victoria was two months on the throne before the news came by sailing ship to Kingston.

I have wandered far from those Australian raisins, but they do seem a link with my kin who sailed so long ago from Belfast to South Australia. M. W. HANNA.

Powell River, B.C., January 25, 1932.

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LOCAL WINERIES PAY DIVIDENDS

Reports Submitted at Annual Meeting Show Company to Be Sound Financially

The annual meeting of the Victoria Wineries (British Columbia), Limited, was held at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, on Wednesday. There was a large attendance of both preference shareholders and ordinary shareholders.

The audited accounts were presented by the secretary-treasurer, J. E. Sladen, who pointed out the following facts:

1. That the preference dividend of 7 per cent had been paid to date.
2. That the sale for 1931 had been satisfactory, and the company was in a sound financial position.
3. That the farmers had been well looked after during the 1931 season, and more, the $30,000 had been paid for fruit, chiefly loganberries.

The meeting expressed appreciation of the work done by the directors of the company, Captain H. B. Babington was elected as an additional director of the company.

Railway Company to Show Travel Films

The travel bureau of the Northern Pacific Railway Company will provide an evening's entertainment on Monday, at 8 o'clock, in the schoolroom of the Emmanuel Baptist Church. Views of an ocean voyage on a Cunard liner and a trip through England will be shown, interspersed with musical numbers,

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STUDY REDRESS IN ACCIDENTS

Ontario Automobile Insurance Plan May Be Followed in this Province

British Columbia may follow the example of Ontario in regard to effective automobile insurance, by the enactment of legislation along similar lines to that already in force in that province, it was stated at the Legislative Buildings yesterday.

The Attorney-General's Department is drafting a measure which will be presented to the House in due course. In it, it is understood, will be provision for suspension of the licence of a driver after any accident in which he is found at fault, until the full damage of such mishap has been paid up by the negligent driver.

This provision in the Ontario law is said to have had the effect of making public liability and property damage insurance almost universal among car drivers, without the attendant evils of accelerated carelessness by virtue of this protection.

While the exact terms of the British Columbia measure have not been disclosed, in the main they will follow closely along what is already being done in Ontario, it is thought.

Native Daughters Have Social and Initiate Member

The Native Daughters of B.C. Post No. 3 met in the New Thought Hall, Fort Street, on Wednesday, the early part of the evening being devoted to the initiation services which made Miss Laverne Neelands a member of Post No. 3. At the close of the initiation, the chief factor, Mrs. T. F. Waters, pinned on the new member a small bouquet of narcissus and baby tulips in the post's colors.

A short business discussion then took place, followed by musical selections by Miss A. Thain. The evening was brought to a close by the hostesses serving supper. Those responsible were Mrs. L. Lorimer, Mrs. H. Dalziel, Miss Mildred Chrowe and Miss Lillian Smethurst.

On February 10 the post will hold its annual birthday party, which this year will take the form of social evening with dancing and cards for the members and their friends.

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Junior Musical Arts Programme Now Arranged

The February concert of the Junior Musical Arts Society will be held next Wednesday night at the Shrine auditorium, beginning at 8:15 o'clock. A piano soloist, Grace Genn, who spent a year at the Toronto Conservatory of Music; an instrumental trio composed of Mary Philip, Olive Heale, L.A.B., and Reginald Couper; a vocal quartette, composed of Edna Dilworth, Edna Barr, Harvey Dobson and Gill Margeson; and an instrumental quartette comprising Carl Benn, Fay Ockenden, Edwin Bucklin and Harry Brawn; and Marguerite Mulligan (gold medalist), pianist; John Pimm, violinist; and Helen Riley, pianist, will take part.

The programme will be as follows:

Grace Genn, piano sonata, Op. 2, No. 1, Beethoven; waltz, Mischa Levitski.

Instrumental trio, andante movement, Op. 95, No. 3, Berens; and Allegretto, Op. 14, No. 1 (Mozart).

Vocal quartette, "Liebeslieder" (Brahms), accompanied by Dick Eaton and Peggy White.

Marguerite Mulligan, piano soli, "Scariet Ceremonies" (John Ireland); and "Au Soir" (Paderewski).

John Pimm, violin, Waltz (Gounod), and "Spanish Dance No. 2" (Moszkowski).

Helen Riley, piano, Schubert's "Impromptu."

Instrumental quartette, "Quatuor, Op. 38" (James Rheinberger).

Married in London

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP). — The Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, whose husband was killed in an airplane disaster in 1930, was married today at the Prince's Row Register Office to Captain C. S. A. Somerset, son of Lord Henry Somerset.

Campbell River

Miss S. Fitzgerald has returned home from Victoria.

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Misses E. and L. Thulin entertained four tables of bridge recently. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker, Dr. and Mrs. R. Zeigler, Mr and Mrs. J. S. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanstone, Mr. and Mrs. O. Thulin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fitzgerald and Mrs. J. R. McNeil. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies, first, Mrs. R. Zeigler; consolation, Mrs. C. Fitzgerald. Gentlemen, first, Mr. J. Tucker; consolation, Mr. F. E. McCarthy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thulin have returned home from Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCarthy entertained with three tables of bridge in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J Tucker. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Grant, Dr. and Mrs. R. Zeigler, Mr. and Mrs. O. Thulin, Miss Weldon, Mrs. J. R. McNeil, Dr. W. Richardson and Mr. E. Anderson. The prize winners were: Ladies, first, Mrs. R. Zeigler; consolation, Miss Weldon. Gentlemen, first, Dr. W. Richardson; consolation, O. Thulin.

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Mr. William Halliday, Indian agent of Alert Bay, is visiting here for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Meredith entertained with three tables of bridge. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker, Dr. and Mrs. R. Zeigler, Mrs. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. E. P. Painter, Mr. J. Painter, Mr. R. Pidcock, Sr., and Mr. H. Smith. The prize winners were: Ladies, first, Mrs. F. E. McCarthy; consolation, Mrs. E. P. Painter. Gentlemen, first, Mr. F. E. McCarthy; consolation, Mr. J. Painter.

Somenos

Mrs. P. R. Dobson, of Drinkwater Road, and Mrs. C. Buckmaster, Island Highway, are in Victoria as delegates for the Women's Missionary Society of the Duncan United Church.

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Mrs. T. W. Woods, Island Highway, entertained a delightful children's party at her home in honor of the eleventh birthday of her daughter Betty. Games were enjoyed both outside and after tea in the house.

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A delightful party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tisdall, "The Grange," Drinkwater Road, recently. Dancing was enjoyed and streamers and balloons were thrown from the gallery on the dancers, causing much amusement.

Germany's rapid technical development of the manufacture of paper is resulting in overproduction.

MALASPINA CHAPTER HOLDS SUCCESSFUL TEA AND MUSICALE

NANAIMO, Jan. 23.—The tea and musicale, held under the auspices of the Malaspina Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the home of the regent, Miss Gladys Hindmarch, Union Avenue, was a great success. The amount realized was $150. The winners of the contest were Mrs. Peter Weigle and Mrs. W. Jackson. Misses Dorothy Devlin and Hannah Halle were the general conveners. Mrs. J. S. Dunn and Mrs. Levi Dendoff read fortunes, and a home baking stall was well patronized, as was also the candy stall. The afternoon tea was served from a table lovely in its appointment.

Those taking part in the musical programme were Mrs. W. F. Drysdale, songs; Mrs. F. Reynolds, songs; Mrs. C. H. Baker, songs; Miss Ella Dobeson, pianoforte selections, Mrs. W. P. McDonald, songs, and Mrs. Keighley, accompanist. All were presented with pretty corsage bouquets of chrysanthemums and fern by the regent.

Anglican Young People

St. Mark's

The fortnightly meeting of St. Mark's Junior A.Y.P.A. was held in the parish hall, Tennyson Road, on Wednesday evening. One new member was admitted, bringing the membership up to fifteen. Afterwards, Rev. Owen L. Jull, the vicar, read a paper upon Kitty Wilkinson, the heroine during the cholera epidemic in Liverpool in 1832. Badminton and volley ball occupied the remainder of the evening.

St. Luke's

St. Luke's A.Y.P.A. will hold its regular educational meeting on Febuary 2, at 8 p.m., in the parish hall. A series of motion pictures will be shown by the Canadian National Railways as follows: "Leaping Rainbows," depicting the fishing industry of the province; "The Spanish Main," featuring the West Indies; "Triangle Tour"; "When Winter Comes," a picture of Winter sports in Eastern Canada. There will be no charge for admission and the public is invited.

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Personal News and Matters of Social Interest

Mrs. H. J. Armitage Is Again President of Society

The following officers were elected by the Victoria Presbyterial of the United Church W.M.S. at the close of the session of the sixth annual meeting yesterday morning: President, Mrs. H. J. Armitage; first vice-president, Mrs. W. G. Wilson; second vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Saunby; third vice-president, Mrs. G. G. Henderson; fourth vice-president, Mrs. W. R. Welch; recording secretary, Mrs. J. Travis; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. Calvert, and treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Sonley.

SECRETARIES NAMED

The secretaries of the various departments were elected as follows: Christian stewardship and finance, Mrs. G. Guy; assistant librarian, Mrs. W. F. Laing; work for Y.W., Mrs. E. Church; affiliated C.G.I.T., Mrs. W. F. Perry; associate helpers, Mrs. S. H. Ormiston; supply, Mrs. G. G. Green; strangers, Miss Grace Baker; literature, Miss F. Braik; missionary monthly, Mrs. H. Harris; temperance, Mrs. W. J. Graham; press, Mrs. J. C. Switzer; finance committee, Mrs. G. Guy, Mrs. C. E. Sonley, Mrs. C. H. Walker, Mrs. G. D. Christie and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew.

Mrs. W. R. Welch installed the officers at an impressive little service.

PRAY FOR CONFERENCE

The members passed a resolution urging the women to pray for successful outcome of the Disarmaments Conference at Geneva. Mrs. H. Glaspell, Mrs. H. Rogers and Mrs. W. F. Perry conducted the devotional services and a standing vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. W. G. Wilson in her recent bereavement.

The question of allocations was discussed and a number of auxiliaries promised to raise an additional amount over their allocation this year to meet the growing needs caused by period of depression.

DISCOURAGE RUM CANDY

The members passed a resolution urging the Legislature "to prohibit a pernicious form of liquor advertising which is a menace to the childhood and youth of our province, namely the manufacture and sale of candies and cookies called rum and butter toffee, rum and honey wafers, containing rum flavoring."

It was felt that the presence of rum flavoring in these confections tended to develop a taste for alcohol in the growing generation, and should be discouraged. The resolution also called the attention of the Liquor Control Board to the infraction of the advertising clauses of the Liquor Act in this connection.

DEPLORE BEER PARLORS

Other resolutions passed concerning the liquor traffic included one urging the Provincial Legislature to prohibit all forms of liquor advertising, including newspaper and radio advertisements; one asking for the closing of beer parlors and liquor stores during the depression, and, in the meantime, reducing the hours of sale of beer by the glass from thirteen to, at most, eight hours a day, and to close beer parlors at 7 o'clock on Saturday evenings.

The right for municipalities to hold a plebiscite for the abolition of beer parlors was sought in another resolution, and temperance education in the homes, churches and schools was also urged in a resolution, which, with all the others, was unanimously passed by the Presbyterial.

Resolutions of thanks were also passed to the committee in charge of courtesies, to the soloists and the press, and all who had been instrumental in insuring the success of the meetings.

To Be Patroness of Ball

Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Wife of Hon. R. H. Pooley, K.C., Attorney-General, Will Be One of the Patronesses at the Sessional Ball, to Be Held at the Empress Hotel on Friday, February 19.

Personals, Parties Visitors

Players Entertained

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. J. W. Fordham John entertained a number of the members of Sir Barry Jackson's British Players yesterday at luncheon at Government House. Members of the company and others present included Miss Prudence Magor, Miss Sophie Stewart, Mr. Jack Minster, Mr. Ellis Irving and Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Ian Agnew, Capt. and Mrs. W. Hobart Molson, Miss Laura Audain, Miss Lucy Bryden, Miss Helen Johnson, Major A. S. Humphreys and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn.

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Revelers' Club Party

The Revelers' Club held an enjoyable bridge party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newbury, Gorge Road, the evening being spent in cards, and after supper, dancing was enjoyed. Prizes were won by Misses E. Adames and M. Gilliland, and Messrs. W. Sturrock and D. Robbins. Others present were Misses F. Hayward, M. Brockington, M. Tuthill, V. Stevenson, M. Stevenson, J. Marshall, D. Campbell, H. Parkinson, M. McCrae, and Messrs. B. Francis, M. Hoffmeister, C. Tredwell, R. Butler, C. Stephens, D. Robbins, C. Newbury, H. Burdon, L. Ireland, L. Whitlaw, S. Hearn, W. Connorton, B. Parsons and I. Stevenson.

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To Attend Banquet

Mrs. W. D. Todd will leave tonight for Vancouver, where she will be one of the principal speakers at the Canada Day banquet at the Hotel Georgia tomorrow evening. This banquet is under the auspices of the Native Sons of Canada and the Canadian Daughters' League, and is being held in recognition of the passing of the Statute of Westminster. Mrs. Todd will return on Sunday accompanied by Miss Ethel (Buddy) Smith, well-known Vancouver radio artist, who will be her guest for a week.

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Entertains Executive

The executive of the Women's Canadian Club was entertained by Mrs. J. A. Macdonald on Monday at a charmingly-appointed tea at 914 St. Charles Street, Miss Macdonald and Mrs. Kenneth Macdonald assisting the hostess. The guests were: Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. E. M. Brown, Mrs D. B. McConnan, Mrs. H. Campbell, Mrs. G. D. Christie, Mrs. J. W. Gibson, Mrs. F. M. McGregor, Mrs. E. H. Mitchell, Mrs. F. E. Winslow and Mrs. A. Dowell.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. W. Taylor entertained recently at her home, 232 St. Andrew's Street, with four tables of bridge in honor of Mr. A. Mather. The invited guests were Misses E. Brand, I. Paton, A. Hale, M. Cliff, A. Forneri, K. Taylor, and Messrs. A. Mather, T. Catterall, I. and H. Green, G. McIntosh, R. Wright, B. Rutherford and J. T. Taylor. Prizes were won by Miss M. Cliff, Mr. G. McIntosh, Miss A. Hale and Mr. B. Rutherford.

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Supper Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cameron entertained the members of the Green Mill basketball team at the supper dance at the Green Mill, Yates Street, on Wednesday evening. Among the dancers were Mr. and Mrs. Eric Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Burridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. McAllan, Misses E. Meale, L. Baron, Helen McKenzie, M. Blunt, D. Hill and Messrs. G. Pettigrew, C. Jones, S. Smith, R. Baker, W. Hill, W. Passmore and W. Oliver.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. G. A. Bucklin entertained again yesterday at the tea hour with a charming "at home" at her residence, 915 Moss Street. The tea table, at which Mrs. James Fletcher and Mrs. D. O. Cameron presided, was attractive with a centrepiece of daffodils, carnations and pussy willows. An impromptu musical programme added to the pleasure of the occasion.

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Arriving This Morning

Rev. T. Stannage Boyle, D.D., rector of St. Peter's Church at Cobourg, Ont., accompanied by his wife, will arrive in Victoria this morning, and will join Mrs. Boyle's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Garrod, of Epsom, England, who have been guests at the Oak Bay Hotel, Oak Bay, for the past three months.

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Leaves for England

Mrs. Denton C. Holmes left last night for Vancouver and will sail on the French liner Wyoming via the Panama for Cristobal, where she will transfer to a boat en route via the French West Indies to England, where she will spend several months with relatives before returning to Victoria.

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Entertains Bride and Groom-Elect

Mr. and Mrs. William Merston entertained informally a number of their friends yesterday afternoon at the Beach Hotel, Oak Bay, in honor of Miss Constance Waugh and Captain Christopher Vokes, whose marriage will take place on Saturday evening.

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Move to House

Mrs. W. G. Northwood and her three daughters, of Winnipeg, who have been staying at the Beach Hotel since their arrival from Manitoba, have taken Commander Knight's house, 951 Beach Drive, for the remainder of the Winter.

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Luncheon Party

Mrs. W. P. D. Pemberton entertained at a luncheon party yesterday at her home on Foul Bay Road, in honor of Mrs. Geoffrey Morkill, of Lima, Peru, who is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. L. Morkill, Pemberton Road.

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Leaving Next Week

Miss Lorna Lewin, Marlborough Street, will leave next Wednesday afternoon for Seattle, en route to New York, sailing on February 13 aboard the Ausonia for London, where she will make an extended visit.

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Bridge Tea Given

Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Terrace Avenue, entertained at a bridge tea yesterday in honor of Mrs. C. B. McAllister, of Vancouver, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Lennox Irving, Foul Bay Road.

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Move to New Home

Dr. and Mrs. Wiggins and family, who have been residing in Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carmichael's house on St. Denis Street, for the past month, have moved to their new residence, 1535 Prospect Place, Oak Bay.

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On Winter Visit

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jopling, of Fairlight, Saskatchewan, are among the Winter visitors to this city. They are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Here From London

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kemm, of London, England, are spending a few days in the city, and are at the Glenshiel Hotel.

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Visiting Victoria

Mr. J. B. Lee, of Vancouver, and Mr. C. J. Lee, of Montreal, are paying Victoria a visit. They are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

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Guest at Oak Bay Hotel

Mr. A. Dunbar Taylor, of Cobble Hill, has been spending a short time in the city as a guest at the Oak Bay Hotel.

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Here From London

Major Fairbanks Smith, who has just completed a six months' world cruise, is a visitor in Victoria, and is at the Beach Hotel.

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Staying With Relatives

Miss Mary Carlyle Hammond, who has been staying at the Beach Hotel, is now with her grandmother, Mrs. A. T. Ogilvie, 1249 Rockland Avenue.

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From Tofino

Miss W. S. Dixon, of Tofino, is registered at the Glenshiel Hotel.

From Vancouver

Mrs. L. May and Miss Maurleen Kingscote, of Vancouver, are staying at the Beach Hotel.

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From Seton Lake

Mr. and Mrs. F. Durban, of Seton Lake, are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

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Northern Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Wilson, of White Horse, are at the Dominion Hotel.

West Saanich W. I. Members Hold Banquet

BRENTWOOD, Jan. 28. — The West Saanich Women's Institute held its annual supper in the Institute Hall recently. The supper tables were prettily decorated with Oregon grape, ivy, etc. Mrs. T. Haddon welcomed the members and visitors, Councillor L. C. Hagan replying on behalf of the guests.

After supper, cards, games and dancing were indulged in, additional guests coming later.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. Haddon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Freeland, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rochon, Mr. and Mrs. Hodgson, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. H. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts, Mrs. T. Peden, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lacoursiere, Mrs. H. Creed, Mr. Claude Creed, Mr. R. Stobie, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Miss Jeune, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Blakey, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sarup, Miss M. Scott, Councillor L. C. Hagan, Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. W. Watt, Mr. and Mrs Francis, Miss Gladys Guy, Miss Kathleen Greenwood, Mr. H. Andrews, Mr. C. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilbert, Mrs. C. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomson, Mrs. Kelly, Mr. Stan Sluggett, Mrs. Fred Sluggett, Mr. Speck, Mr. H. Parker, Mr. E. Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brandon, Mrs. Atkens, Mr. and Mrs. M. Atkens, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bickford, Mrs. Limpricht, Mr. G. Caldwell, Mr. C. Goselin, Mr. E. Bourgeois, Mr. E. Hardinge, Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenhalgh, Mr. F. Verdier, Mr. C. Olmstead and others.

Those winning prizes at cards were: First, Mrs. T. Peden, Mrs. Clow, Mr. A. Guy and Mr. E. Bourgeois; second, Mrs. George Bickford and Mr. S. Lee.

Tofino Mission Church Scene of Pretty Wedding

TOFINO, Jan. 28.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Columba Mission Church on Tuesday, when Miss Ethel Darville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Darville, of Calm Creek, Clayoquot Sound, was united in marriage to Mr. John Arnet, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Arnet, of Tofino. Rev. J. W. Leighton united the couple in marriage, and the pretty little church was decorated by the young friends of the bride; chrysanthemums, staghorn ferns and maidenhair fern forming the decorative scheme.

The bride was given away by her father, Mr. J. Darville; the best man being the bridegroom's brother, Mr. Arved Arnet. The bride was attended by six bridesmaids, the Misses A. Hansen, M. Hansen, Daphne Cuppy, C. Ericksen, E. Evans and Eileen Bond. Messrs. Andrew Ericksen, Walter Arnet and M. Nicholson acted as ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the Community Hall, which was beautifully decorated by a committee of young women headed by Miss Evelyn Garrard. Supper was served and the health of the bride and groom was proposed by Mr. J. Cooper, a life-long friend of the bride's parents. Mr. T. Barnard, of Nanaimo, a friend of both the bride and groom, extended congratulations.

Mr. Gordon Gibson, of Ahousat, also wished the young couple all happiness, and many other local people joined in expressing wishes of good will. A dance was later enjoyed. The bride and groom left by the Princess Maquinna on their honeymoon, which will be spent in California.

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Women's Organizations and Social Activities

Good Work Reported by All Victoria Chapters

Considerable business was transacted at yesterday's meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., held at headquarters, the regent, Mrs. L. A. Genge, presiding. Mrs. E. C. Hayward reported having distributed Empire Marketing Board posters to the local shops and also reported that the Florence Nightingale Chapter had collected eighty books which had been sent to the Peace River district.

The regent emphasized the need of supporting the Women's Workroom and asked for taggers for February 6 to report to Miss Wigley, the convener.

LETTERS READ

An invitation was read from the provincial office asking the Municipal regent to reply to the address of welcome at the provincial annual meeting. Other invitations and letters were received, and the members were asked to patronize the Boy Scouts' extravaganza on February 5 and 6, and the request from the National Council of Education to co-operate in every way possible to make the visit of the Sir Barry Jackson Players a success, received the hearty endorsement of the meeting. The provincial summary was read, and as the National Chapter recommends that all meetings be held a week earlier, it was decided to hold the annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter on March 16 at headquarters, the Navy League Chapter to be hostesses on this occasion.

EDUCATIONAL REPORTS

The meeting went on record as being in favor of saluting the Union Jack and singing the National Anthem in the schools. The educational secretary reported that the Sir James and Lady Douglas and Gonzales Chapters had given two new libraries each. Other chapters had renewed subscriptions to magazines for the schools.

The treasurer's report showed a satisfactory balance in hand. The organizing secretary reported that Mrs. Raley, provincial organizing secretary, had resigned on account of illness, and deep regret was expressed by the members. The Echoes secretary reminded the chapters to send in their reports as soon as possible.

Mrs. George Miles gave a most interesting report of child welfare work, $188 having been spent on Christmas hampers, fifty having been sent out and many other donations made to needy families. It was moved that a letter be sent to the Boy Scouts congratulating them upon their good work in providing toys at Christmas.

TO AID CADETS

The regent's request that her action regarding the money sent in by the chapters to help build a boat for the Sea Cadets be transferred to the purchase of bugles, was heartily agreed to.

It was announced that the Canadian Scottish colors had arrived, and the treasurer was authorized to pay over to the regiment the money collected for this purpose.

DELEGATES NAMED

Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, Mrs. W. R. Sayer, Mrs. Colin Cummins and Mrs. W. Middleton were appointed delegates to attend the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. The regent, Mrs. L. A. Genge, was appointed as delegate to the annual meeting of the Navy League. Mrs. F. R. Wright gave a report on the Prisoners of War Fund and spoke of thanks expressed by an ex-prisoner helped by this fund.

OTHER REPORTS

Reports were read by Mrs. P. E. Corby, Girl Guides' convener; Mrs. S. H. Brake, films convener; Mrs. C. W. Plumb, soldiers' graves and Mrs. Sayer, house committee. She told of the need of towels, which were donated at once by Mrs. K. Symons, and it was agreed that a shower for cups and saucers be held at the next meeting. Mrs. H. K. Prior gave a report of the finances. A donation will be sent to the Christmas Exchange and an I.O.D.E. calendar to Mrs. W. McManus, to be presented to St. Louis College.

Riding in Rotten Row

LADY Iris Mountbatten, daughter of the Marchioness of Carisbrook and great-granddaughter of the late Queen Victoria of England, photographed with a companion during a morning jog in Rotten Row, Hyde Park, London.

ACTRESS SPEAKS ON STAGE CAREER

A delightful afternoon was spent yesterday at the B.C. Dramatic School, when Miss Thelma Rea, of the Sir Barry Jackson Company, spoke to an appreciative audience on "A Stage Career."

Following Miss Rea, Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe gave a most interesting address on India. He was cordially thanked on behalf of the audience by Mrs. Hebden Gillespie. After the address, Miss Rea was the guest of Mrs. W. M. Hotham at tea.

Next Thursday, Mr. Paul Smythe, stage manager of the Sir Barry Jackson Company, and Mr. Donald Wolfit have kindly consented to speak on matters pertaining to the stage and drama, at 4:30 o'clock, at the studio, for the students and friends.

Coasting Party Held by Young People at Duncan

DUNCAN, Jan. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Garrison entertained the Trail Rangers Badminton Club at a jolly coasting party, in honor of Stewart Reilly, who is leaving to attend school in Vancouver, at their home on Wednesday evening. Light for coasting was provided by a huge bonfire. Refreshments were served by the hosters. The guests were: Dorothy Owen, Eileen Johnston, Mabel Owen, Roberta Elliot, Eileen Langlois, Stewart Reilly, Alan Olmstead, Winston Burkholder, Bertram and Frank Garrison.

Cowichan Girl Guides Have Been Busy in Past Year

DUNCAN, Jan. 28.—The 1st Cowichan Girl Guide committee held its annual meeting in the Guide Hall. Interest in the Guide movement was shown by the large attendance. The president, Mrs. James Fletcher, who presided, thanked the committee, officers and members, the Rangers, Guides and Guiders, the Brown Owl and Brownies for their loyal support in 1931. Mrs. Kinloch divisional superintendent, and Miss N. C. Denny, district superintendent, were present. Mrs. Kinloch, in a brief address, complimented the Guides on their splendid hall and equipment. Interesting reports were received from Miss Dawson-Thomas, captain 1st Cowichan Company; Miss Denny, captain 1st Duncan Company; Miss D. Geoghegan, captain Rangers; Mrs. E. W. Neel, Brown Owl. These leaders reported a large number of badges won and emphasized the social service work of the different companies.

Mrs. Stock and Mrs. Russell were elected to fill two vacancies on the committee, the other members being re-elected. Officers will be chosen by the committee at the next meeting. The Primrose Patrol won the attendance prize. A camp fire programme was presented by the Guides. The 1st Duncan Company showed living pictures of famous women; 1st Cowichan Company presented national dances, and dramatized an original story read by Miss Geoghegan.

Following the programme, refreshments were served by Mrs. G. Cole, Mrs. F. R. Gooding and Mrs. W. S. Gwyn.

Players' Club Meets

The regular weekly meeting of the Fairfield Players' Club was held at the home of Miss Grace Keefe, McKenzie Street. The evening was spent in rehearsing the play "The Time of His Life," which will have its initial production at Sidney on February 15.

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Clubs and Societies

Chemainus W.A.

The Anglican Parish Hall was crowded to capacity on Wednesday evening, when the ladies of the Women's Auxiliary to St. Michael and All Angels' Church held a bridge and whist drive. Seven tables of whist and ten of bridge were in play, the prize-winners being as follows: Ladies, first bridge, Mrs. J. Campsell; consolation, Mrs. G. Jacobson; gentlemen's, first, Mr. George Phillips; consolation, Miss N. Wollaston, playing as a gentleman. Whist, first, Miss Kathleen Porter; consolation, Mrs. Alex. Work; gentleman's first, Mr. George Neale; consolation, Mr. H. Dobinson. Those who kindly donated prizes were Mrs. D. Clarke, Mrs. Longrigg, Mrs. Neale, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Stubbs. Following the refreshments, the floor was cleared for dancing.

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Gorge W.M.S.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Gorge Presbyterian Church was held in the church hall, Tillicum Road, on Wednesday evening. An instructive and inspiring address was given by Miss Lamont, field secretary of the Western division of the Presbyterian Church in Canada of the W.M.S. A large gathering of members attended, who greatly appreciated the interesting details of Miss Lamont's work among the people in the different districts she travels through.

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Crofton Sewing Circle

The Crofton Ladies' Sewing Circle held a five hundred card party in the Crofton Hall with six tables in play. Ladies' first prize was won by Mrs. Patterson; consolation, Mrs. R. Syme. Gentlemen's first went to Mrs. Talbot, playing as a gentleman; consolation, Mr. Patterson. Distribution of prizes and refreshments closed the entertainment.

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Spiritualist Church Social

The ladies of the First Spiritualist Church will hold a church social this evening at the home of Mrs. Mason, 46 Howe Street.

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Cedar Hill P.-T.A.

The Cedar Hill P.-T.A. will hold a home-cooking sale in Spencer's basement tomorrow morning.

Enjoyable Evening Spent by Members Of Church Society

St. Luke's A.Y.P.A. met in the Parish Hall on Tuesday evening. After a short business meeting, four new members were initiated, including Miss M. Holmes, who has been in a great measure responsible for the organization of an A.Y.P.A. branch in the parish. At present Miss Holmes is an influential leader and adviser of the junior branch, the members of which were present at the meeting.

Following the initiation, games were played until the attention of the merry group was drawn toward the stage, where all were entertained by several sleight-of-hand tricks, cleverly performed by the president C. Ozard. An interesting and amusing sketch was presented by Mr. E. Ozard, Miss P. Mitchell and Mr. A. Pearson.

The remainder of the evening was taken up in a "Treasure Hunt," the outcome of which was a delightful surprise for Miss Holmes, who on finding the lucky parcel was made the recipient of a beautifully designed electric clock, as a token of the high esteem in which she is held by the members of the A.Y.P.A. Refreshments were served by the social committee.

Qualicum Beach

Miss Mary Money and Mr. Gordon Money, who have been spending a week in Victoria, have returned home.

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Miss Helen Wilson, of Victoria, has returned home after being the guest of Miss Mary Money.

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Mr. Neville Gibson has returned from Vancouver, where he had spent a few days.

Miss Marion Webster, of Vancouver, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. Bunting.

Saltspring Island

Mr. Ian Paton, of Victoria, was a guest during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Scott, of Ganges Harbor.

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Mr. Fred Crofton, of Ganges, is spending a week in Victoria, as a guest at the Dominion Hotel.

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Mrs. Desmond Crofton, of Ganges, has returned home after spending a few days in Victoria, as a guest at the Dominion Hotel.

Parksville

Mrs. E. D. Thwaites was a recent visitor in Courtenay.

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Mr. Clarence Hayes has returned to Powell River after spending a few days as the guest of Mr. J. Donovan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Parsons are the guests of Mr. Parsons' sister, Mrs. E. L. Moilliet, before proceeding to their home in Powell River.

After a few weeks' visit to Victoria, Mr. Brian Weld has returned to his home here.

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Miss Gertrude Ponsford, of Great Central, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ponsford.

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Mrs. H. K. Harrison was a recent visitor to Port Alberni.

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Miss Ruth Tryon is at present visiting in Victoria.

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Mrs. J. Cox has returned from a three weeks' visit to New York.

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Mrs. E. L. Moilliet entertained at the home of Mrs. A. L. Smith in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Parsons recently, the occasion taking the form of a miscellaneous shower. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thwaites, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weld, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Forbes; Mrs. Carter, of Nanaimo; Mrs. Sprinkling, Mrs. B. Harrison, Mrs. R. Abbott, Mrs. Allan Ford, Misses L. Abbott, Jean Ford, M. Feary, B. Greig, Colonel W. B. Grieg and Mr. E. Leakey.

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At the dance given in the Parish Hall, Parksville, in aid of the Junior Badminton Club, the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Sprinkling, Mr. and Mrs. P. Trill, Mr. and Mrs. A. Braddock, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wing, Mr. and Mrs. L. Parsons, Mrs. H. K. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harrison, Mrs. Young, Mrs. H. Pettigrew, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Misses M. Feary, E. Parkin, M. Young, J. Rushton, M. Ponsford, Alice Smith, F. Smith, H. Anderson, W. Hirst, A. Hirst, A. Smith, T. Harrison, Messrs. J. Hickey, B. Rushton, C. Rushton, Andy Patterson, W. Smith, W. Roscoe, G. Fankard, R. Donovan, M. Shelly, E. Bernard, J. Auld, A. Barfoot and J. Hirst.

Chemainus

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adam, Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell and Mr. William Allester motored to Duncan to take part in the Burns night concert held in the new K. of P. Hall. Mr. Adam and Mr. Campbell rendered vocal solos and Mr. Allester played violin selections, with Mrs. Campbell accompanying them.

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Friends of Mrs. Sondergaard, Westholme, will regret to learn that she is a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria.

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Miss Alice Dyke, R.N., of Crofton, was a recent visitor in Victoria.

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Miss Jane Ouelette has returned to her home in Crofton, after having been a patient in the King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, for the past week.

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Mr. J. Richards, of Westholme, has returned home following a short visit to Victoria.

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The Baptist Young People held a social evening in the Calvary Baptist Church, with twenty members present. Games were played, the winners of the competition being Miss Gladys Wilson and Mr. Stuart Irvine, to whom prizes were awarded. Mrs. L. G. Hill will take this week's praper meeting. The Young People had arranged to conduct the church service on Sunday, January 31, but this has had to be postponed. Refreshments were served.

Lake Cowichan

Mrs. George Stelly was hostess to the Junior Bridge Club when the prize was won by Mrs. R. Miller. The Senior Bridge Club also met at Mrs. Stelly's home, and Mrs. S. Alexander won first prize.

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Mrs. Sidney L. Scholey was a recent bridge hostess, when she entertained with two tables, additional guests arriving after cards. The first prizes were won by Mr. H. T. Hardinge and Mrs. David Madill, while Mrs. E. S. Lomas won the consolation.

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Mrs. E. S. Lomas entertained with bridge when Mrs. Madill won the prize.

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The Senior Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Herbert Grosskleg, when the prize was won by Mrs. R. Miller.

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After spending the week-end at Westholme as the guests of Mrs. M. E. Bailey and Mrs. P. M. Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lomas and Miss Gladys E. Lomas have returned to the lake.

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Mr. C. McKenzie, of Duncan, was a recent visitor to the Lakeside Hotel.

Ladysmith

Mrs. John Sharp, of Vancouver, revisited Ladysmith for a few days and was the guest of her father and sister, Mr. W. Bauld and Miss Ella Bauld.

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Mr. C. G. Callin and Mr. R. C. Wright journeyed to Vancouver to attend a social session of the Army and Navy Veterans in that city, at the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Mason, of Nanaimo, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wood.

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Mr. James Ferguson, Jr., has returned to Ladysmith after spending three weeks in Saanich and Victoria as the guest of friends. Mr. Ferguson is holidaying with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson, of Fourth Avenue, after some years in the Peace River district, where he owns considerable acreage. He plans to return North during the early Spring.

The project for a new bridge across the Thames at London to cost from $7,000,000 to $10,000,000 has been shelved.

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CHURCH ELECTS NEW STEWARDS

Annual Meeting of St. Aidan's United Church Shows Progress Being Made

The annual congregational gathering of St. Aidan's United Church was held on Wednesday night, with a good representation of members and friends present. Rev. H. J. Armitage occupied the chair and, after a brief devotional period, the minutes of the last annual meeting were read. The reports given indicated that progress had been made in all departments. The session reported that eleven persons had been received into church membership during the year.

The persons who rendered statements were as follows: Frank Jennings, treasurer of current account, receipts, $1,449; Mrs. C. F. Dawson, for Ladies' Guild, $370; Mrs. H. J Armitage, for missionary fund, $226; Miss M. Irvine, for Women's Missionary Society, $101; Miss Barbara Dawson, for Sunday school, $118; Miss Miriam Williams, for Young People's Society, $19; Miss Hilda Thompson, for C.G.I.T., $22, and C Croft, for hall fund, $63.

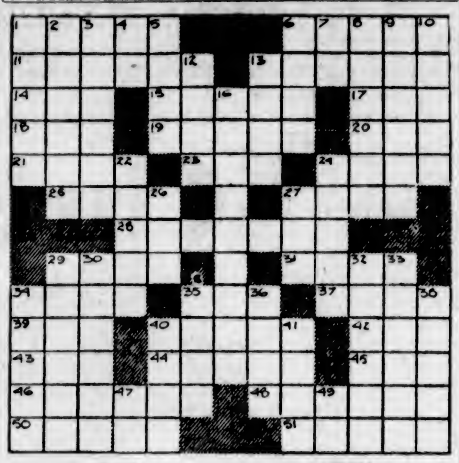
Commendation was given to the various leaders of departments and to all others who had served the church during the year. A unanimous vote of appreciation was extended to Rev. H. J. and Mrs. Armitage for their encouraging service and leadership. Some discussion took place as to the possibility of church redecoration, and a committee was appointed to investigate and bring in a report.

The following were elected members of the board of stewards for 1932: Frank Jennings, W. H. Carr, C. F. Dawson, R. H. Beare, P. Pearson, A. Rice, G. W. Sharpe and Kenneth Jennings. Mrs. C. F. Dawson was re-elected organist. Frank Jennings choir leader and Joshua Taylor caretaker.

CHINESE REMANDED ON NARCOTIC CHARGE

CHEMAINUS, Jan. 28.—Ten Ling, Chinese, appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate G. Tisdall in the local provincial police court today to answer a charge under the Narcotic Drugs Act. He was remanded in custody, with the option of release on satisfactory bail, until February 4. Bail was set at $2,000, in two sureties of $1,000.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

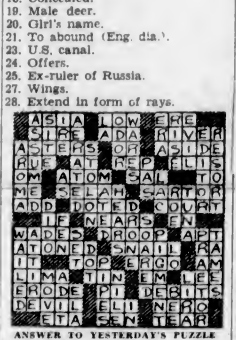


ACROSS

1. Musical drama.
6. Connect.
11. Alleviates.
13. Country famous for its steeds.
14. Greek letter.
15. Fruit.
17. The bitter vetch.
18. Concealed.
19. Male deer.
20. Girl's name.
21. To abound (Eng. dia.).
23. U.S. canal.
24. Offers.
25. Ex-ruler of Russia.
27. Wings.
28. Extend in form of rays.
29. Notch.
31. Auditory channels.
34. Kinds of rolls.
35. Kind of punch.
37. Technical (abbr.).
39. Crumb.
40. Embitters.
42. Girl's name.
43. Tiny.
44. Awakened.
45. Everything.
46. Jewry.
48. Headdress.
50. Endeavor.
51. Newspaperdom.

DOWN

1. Swear words.
2. Complaint.
3. Escapes.
4. Sun god.
5. Native Indian waiting-maid.
6. Suffic denoting act—process (pl.)
7. Symbol for sodium.
8. Spain.
9. Violent declamation.
10. Makes comfortable.
12. Mineral springs.
13. Voice register.
16. Spendthrifts.
22. Deserves.
24. Cry of a sheep.
26. Rodent.
27. Consumed.
29. Constraint.
30. Goes within.
32. Created again.
33. Weighing apparatus.
34. Hunting knife.
35. Prison.
36. Extorted money from.
38. Steering devices on ships.
39. A color.
41. Cut.
47. Associate of Arts (abbr.).
49. Arrive (abbr.).



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A New Shaving Cream That Soothes as It Softens!

You are familiar with **Cuticura** and its cleansing, antiseptic properties. Now comes **Cuticura Shaving Cream**, containing those medicinal properties. It produces a rich, creamy lather that goes right to the hair-follicles—softening the beard immediately. It remains moist throughout the shave. BUY A TUBE TODAY!

At all dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of 35c. *Address:* J. T. Wait Company, Ltd., Montreal

Just Roamin' Around

By TWO ROVERS

Seeing that his master looked sort of fagged, Rover suggested to me that, as he had not registered a genuine kick for a long time, he be allowed to swing a bat at a few things that irked him somewhat.

I was, indeed, only too glad to get a day off, as I need a rest, and besides, there is someone I have not seen for ages (or so it seems to me), and by giving Rover carte blanche to "go to it," I can have a day off to roam around in the neighborhood of—wouldn't you like to know just where?

So, just one more paragraph and then my faithful old canine chum can bark his head off, which will do him good, and no one else any harm. I would like to thank the kind gentleman who very good-naturedly sent me some most interesting early history of Blackpool after reading my very short Roverism on that energetic and enterprising seaside resort in England, and I shall be delighted to tell another story of my own experiences at Blackpool pretty soon.

AS MANY KICKS AS HA'PENCE

That's an old saw, and if my master hadn't gone to ——— Street today (he'd kill me if I put the right address in), I wouldn't have thought of it.

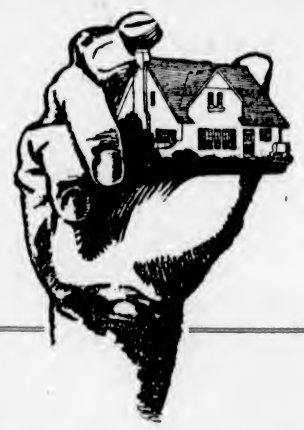
But he said I might "register a few kicks," and I know what they are, but I don't know much about ha'pence, at least, these hard times. But what's the odds as long as you have a bone of contention; and believe it or not, I have a-plenty!

I am not going to make any kick about the park, or drains, or water pipes, or the blooming broom, or the flowers that bloom in the Spring, fra la, or anything like that, for he (my master) told me to leave those to him!

Nor am I going to add my bark to the many howls around town re the digging up of Hillside Avenue and the Gorge Road, which is such an eyesore, and which, apparently, is to be left in a state of disgraceful dug-uppishness for ever; for, what is one lone bark in the wilderness they are rapidly turning this city into?

And I refuse to ask the editor to edit, or the printer to print, or the proof reader to proof what I think of the tearing up of the shrubs and grass, etc., on Pandora Avenue. No, sir! It would be more than any of them dare do and then go home to their wives and families and 'fess up to their share in it!

But I would like to know why the very exceptionally fine actors and actresses now at the Royal Victoria Theatre deem it necessary to come out and stand in a row to bow (Bow-wow) after each and every act in the perfectly wonderful play "The Barretts of Wimpole Street. It spoils the continuity of the play, and interrupts the necessary concentration of those in the audience, who are there to see "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," which their acting makes a reality. The bowing acknowledgements lamentably disturb the atmosphere of the play! And that is all for today!



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Month-End Savings in Babywear

Infants' Wool Vests, short or long sleeved. Each ..... 79¢
Infants' Silk and Wool Vests, 79¢
Infants' Flannel Barracoats ..... 95¢
Infants' Flannel Gertrudes at 95¢
Infants' Flannelette Nightgowns at ..... 59¢
Infants' Flannelette Slips at 69¢
Infants' Flannel Slips at ..... 79¢
Infants' Short Voile Frocks at 69¢
Infants' Hand-Embroidered Frocks at ..... 98¢
Infants' Silk Shoes, per pair ..... 25¢
Infants' Silk Comforters at ..... 95¢
Infants' Crib Comforters at ..... 69¢
Infants' Crocheted Jackets at 95¢
Infants' Wool Sweater Coats at, each $1.25

—Second Floor, HBC

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Special Price **3.95**

These are rubber-lined Trench Coats with full belts, Raglan sleeves and slip pockets. In putty shade only. Sizes 14 to 20. Here is your opportunity if your size is included.

—Second Floor, HBC

A Month-End Clearance of Millinery

100 Hats at **50c**

15 Smart Small Velvet Hats and 85 Assorted Small Felts, in styles for misses and small women.

Exceptional Values in Fine Felts

Black, navy, green, a few Spanish tile and a few browns. To clear at **1.00**

—Second Floor, HBC

A Month-End Sale of Cardigans and Pullovers

Pullovers in fine novelty weaves with new necklines, fitted hipband and deep cuffs. The Cardigans are of silk and wool with novelty borders and cuffs. The colors and sizes are well assorted **$1.95**

—Second Floor, HBC

200 Women's Home Frocks

Unusual value will be found in this month-end sale of Printed Home Frocks. The assortment includes all our better stock of Martha Washington or sleeveless printed craysheen and rayon; also a number of smart figured cotton taffetas. In the assortment are short sleeved or long sleeved styles, and sizes from 36 to 52 ..... Formerly to $2.95 for **$1.69**

—Second Floor, HBC

Month-End Clearance of Fur Coats

Reductions in This Department Amount to Thousands of Dollars

THE QUALITIES are excellent as ever, being H B C furs, fashioned into luxurious garments by our own expert furriers.

THE STYLES are delightful, and express the last word in modishness.

THE PRICES are low, probably lower than you have ever seen before for such Coats.

We suggest you try on some of the following:

Beaver Lamb and Beaverine Coats. Formerly $95.00, for **65.00**
White "Bunny" Fur Coats. Formerly $125.00, for **75.00**
Caracul Coats. Formerly $135.00, for **95.00**
French Seal Coats. Formerly $150.00, for **100.00**
Muskrat Back-Fur Coat. Formerly $165.00, for **135.00**

Among our better Fur Coats, such as Hudson Seal, Jap Mink and Broadtail, you save from **$100.00** to **$150.00**

Deferred Payments Arranged

—Second Floor, HBC

Orders Carried to Your Car Free — **HBC GROCETERIA CARRY AND SAVE** — **Specials for Friday Only**

BUTTER AND EGGS SPECIAL

3-Lb. Block Imperial First Quality Creamery Butter and 1 Dozen B.C. Fresh First Eggs---The Two for 85c

Eggs in Carton—Easy to Carry—Price on This Special Last Year Was $1.40

H B C TEA
No. 1 Ceylon Pekoe, per lb. **24c**
3 lbs. for ..... 70¢
H B C SELECTED COFFEE
Freshly ground, per lb. **25c**

Cloverleaf Salmon, Fancy Pink, 1-lb. tins ..... 3 for 25¢
Broder's Choice Peas ..... 3 tins 25¢
Sliced Pineapple ..... 2 tins 19¢

Mac's Best Tomatoes, No. 2 tins, at 3 for ..... 25¢
Quaker Choice Corn ..... 3 tins 25¢
Eddy's Sesque Matches, pkt. ..... 17¢
3 packets for ..... 49¢
Libby's Pork and Beans, 3 tins 25¢
Honey Graham Wafers, 1-lb. packet for ..... 18¢
2 packets for ..... 35¢
Peaches in Heavy Syrup, No. 2 tins, 2 for ..... 29¢
Canadian Pears, No. 2 tins, tin, 12¢
3 tins for ..... 35¢

Shirriff's Seville Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin ..... 58¢
Economy Selected Side Bacon at, per lb. ..... 15¢
Soaps—Pearl Naptha and Royal Crown ..... 7 bars 25¢
King-Beach Jams — Raspberry or Strawberry, 40-oz. jars ..... 33¢
Blue Ribbon, Nabob, Malkin's or Jameson's Tea and Coffee, lb. 42¢
3 lbs. for $1.24

—Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC

HBC Quality Meats

Carry and Save Specials for Today and Saturday

2,000 lbs. Roasting, Boiling and Pot Roast Steer Beef, per lb. **10c**
1,000 lbs. Pork Shoulders, per lb. **10c**

Month-End Special Prices in Drug Sundries

75c Liquid Petrolatum, 16 oz., 39¢
75c Giant Kruschen Salts, with trial package free, for ..... 69¢
J. & J. Modess for ..... 39¢

50c POND'S SKIN FRESHENER for **39c**

45c Pond's Creams, Cold or Vanishing, for ..... 39¢
45c Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 24's, for ..... 39¢
$1.50 H B C Malt and Cod Liver Oil for ..... 98¢

60c Kotex for **39c**

15c lb. Epsom Salts for ..... 9¢
$1.45 Lysol, large, for $1.29
75c Norwegian Cod Liver Oil for ..... 50¢
10c Giant Toilet Tissue, 6 for 43¢
60c Hospital Cotton, 1-lb. roll 49¢
$1.00 Listerine, large, for ..... 89¢
45c Bar French Castile Soap ..... 33¢
25c Listerine Tooth Paste for 21¢
50c Pure Italian Olive Oil for 39¢
25c Glycerine and Rose Water for ..... 19¢
50c Parrish's Chemical Food ..... 39¢
15c Powder Puffs, velour, for 10¢
English Hot Water Bottles, fully guaranteed, for $2.25
$1.00 Frostilla Hand Cream 89¢

Wampole's Extract of Cod Liver Oil $1.00
Wampole's Milk of Magnesia, 25¢ and ..... 50¢

—Main Floor, HBC

Men's Winter Overcoats

In a Special Month-End Selling Today and Saturday

$14.95

60 Overcoats in the lot—Blue Chinchillas, Grey Meltons and Fancy Tweeds. Single and double-breasted styles with raglan or set-in sleeves. Big, warm Overcoats that will give you long service. All sizes 35 to 46.

—Main Floor, HBC

50 Men's Suits

At a Month-End Bargain Price **11.95**

Serviceable Suits expertly tailored from good-wearing tweeds of brown and medium grey herringbone. All sizes 35 to 46.

Men's Fine Shirts

Clearing Today and Saturday at **79c**

Plain blues, plain tans and all white as well as a choice selection of neat stripes. Some are in the collar-attached style, others with separate collars to match.

Men's Suspenders

A Month-End Clearance at **39c**

Heavy or Light-Weight Suspenders with new elastic web and genuine leather ends.

—Main Floor, HBC

What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If January 29 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 5 p.m. to 6:20 p.m. and from 10 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Astrological influences of a disturbing nature will be apt to mar the matrimonial happiness of marriage couples for the time being on January 29. Young people will forget worldly worries through unhappiness of an intimate nature. Underhand scheming by those around them will cause more worry than damage to those in business or professions.

The child born on this January 29 will have a restless and somewhat combative nature and parents should insist upon discipline and application. It will be ambitious, but not energetic or enterprising. Educational advantages will make a strong appeal to it.

Born January 29, you play a real red-blooded, firm-footed man's or woman's part in a world ever in need of those of your type. You are not looking for soft landings, or for someone on whom to lean. You are not afraid of responsibilities, and you are usually unselfish enough or "chicken-hearted" enough to carry many burdens belonging to others anxious to shift their load to another's back.

You are too sober and steady-minded to take an apathetic, indulgent, frivolous view of life. You value highly those simple things which so many thrill-chasers have tossed aside in their quest for something more intoxicating or glittering. Your friends turn to you with a feeling of security in time of sore need. You are able to keep yourself calm and impersonal when others would get distraut and upset. You try to keep suspicion out of your heart, and your tongue free from gossip, malice and sarcasm. You are ready to smypathize where another would criticize; you will give a glad hand where another would give a kick. This is due to our humble attitude towards self and your charitable attitude towards others. The best that is in you is reserved for your home and family.

"Hello old man. Had you any luck shooting?"

"I should say so. I shot seventeen ducks."

"Were they wild?"

"Well, no; but the farmer who owned them was!"

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Seal of Quality Flour

Made from finest Canadian hard wheat.

24-lb. sack **70c**
49-lb. sack **$1.38**
98-lb. sack **$2.65**

Five Roses and Robin Hood Flour at Same Prices

Special Demonstration of Oxo and Bifti

Come in and sample Bifti, the New Oxtail Soup in Tablet Form. This is a delicious health giving drink and can be made in a moment.

Oxo Cubes. Special, per large pkt., **23¢**
Bifti. Special, per tin ..... **15¢**
Oxo Cordial, 6-oz. bottle ..... **37¢**
16-oz. bottle ..... **92¢**

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The Nestle's mechanical cow, which may be seen at the special demonstration booth on our Lower Main Floor, is waiting for a name. A special prize is offered for the most suitable name submitted.

Nestle's Evaporated Milk
Large tins ..... **12¢**
Small tins, 4 for ..... **25¢**

Nestle's Condensed Milk
Per tin ..... **19¢**

Zebra Stove Polish

Per Bottle **13¢**

Reckitt's Blue, pkt., **6¢**
Poliflor Wax, No. 1 tin for ..... **37¢**
Silvo Polish, per tin **19¢**

2 in 1 Shoe Polish

Black, Brown or Tan

2 Tins for - - 22c

Fairy Soap

5 Cakes for **25c**

Gold Dust

Washing Powder. Special, per large packet at ..... **23¢**
Scouring Powder at 3 tins for ..... **25¢**

Five Roses

Wheat Granules or Cracked Wheat, 3-lb. sack **15c**

Ormond's Cream Crackers

Large packet with coupon **17c**

Ormond's Fancy Mixed Biscuits, plain and cream filled, per lb. ..... **19¢**
Ormond's Chocolate Eclairs. Special, per lb. ..... **23¢**

Saanich Canning Products

100% Vancouver Island Industry Quality Guaranteed

Bartlett Pears, No. 2 tins **17c**
3 tins for ..... **50¢**

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3 tins for ..... **50¢**

Clams, whole or minced, per tin **15c**
3 tins for ..... **43¢**

Hedlund's Delicatessen Dishes

Quick Dinner, No. 1 tin ..... **23¢**
Meat Balls, No. 1 tin ..... **25¢**
Steak and Kidney Pot Pie, No. 1 tin ..... **32¢**

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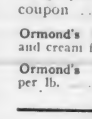

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Brekfus Pudding. Special, per packet ..... **34¢**
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With china **28c**
Plain **18c**

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½'s, at, per tin **17c**
3 tins for ..... **50¢**

1's, at, per tin **29c**

Sunflower Brand Pink Salmon

No. ½ tin ..... **4 for 25c**
No. 1 tin ..... **2 for 19c**

B.C. Pool Eggs

Fresh Eggs, at ..... **3 dozen for 55c**
Fresh Firsts, at ..... **3 dozen for 50c**

Glacier Sardines 3 tins for **25c**
Brunswick Sardines 5 tins for **25c**

North Star Brand Canned Meats

Packed by Pacific Meat Company
100% Canadian

Beefsteak and Onions, No. 1 tin ..... **33¢**
2 tins for ..... **65¢**
Boiled Dinner, No. 1 tin ..... **25¢**
2 tins for ..... **48¢**
Roast Beef, No. 1 tin ..... **35¢**
3 tins for **$1.00**

North Star Cooked Meats

Boiled Ham, sliced, per lb. ..... **38¢**
Roast Leg of Pork With Dressing, per lb. ..... **42¢**
Ham Bologna, per lb. ..... **15¢**

Domestic Shortening

Pure Vegetable, 3-lb. tin **39c**

1-lb. pkts. .. **12¢**
3 pkts. for **35¢**

Other Specials From the Various Food Sections

Back Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... **22¢**
Ayrshire Roll or Ayrshire Ham, lb., **25¢**
Swift's Premium Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... **28¢**
Smoked Boneless Ham, sliced, lb., **32¢**
Ontario Mild Cheese, per lb. ..... **19¢**

PICNIC HAMS
Pime Ontario, Smoked, per lb. **12c**

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All are made of the best of ingredients only, and are baked to perfection. Among the specials offering for the week-end are the following:

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HBC Teas and Coffees

Finest Flavors at Lowest Prices

Flowery Orange Pekoe, regular 85c. Special, per lb., **78¢**
No. 1 Broken Orange Pekoe, regular 65c. Special at, per lb. ..... **59¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.65**
Special Broken Orange Pekoe, regular 55c. Special, per lb. ..... **47¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.35**
India and Ceylon Blend, per lb. ..... **30¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **87¢**
Family Blend Tea, per lb. ..... **25¢**
5 lbs. for **$1.15**
Mocha and Java Blend Coffee, freshly ground, per lb. ..... **47¢**
Imperial Blend Coffee, freshly ground, per lb. ..... **42¢**
Special Santos Coffee, freshly ground, per lb. ..... **25¢**

CANDY SPECIALS
Cocoanut and Peanut Brittle. Special, per lb. ..... **20¢**
Fancy Satin-Finished Mixtures. Special, lb. ..... **18¢**
2 lbs. for ..... **35¢**

Quaker White Corn. Special, 3 tins **25¢**
Heinz Pickles, all kinds. Special at, per bottle ..... **25¢**
Clark's Ketchup. Special, per bottle **16¢**
Heinz Tomato Juice, 9-oz. tins. Special, 3 tins for ..... **32¢**
Beekist Honey, 2½-lb. tins ..... **29¢**
Green Lake Peas, fancy quality, size 4, 3 tins for ..... **29¢**

CANNED FRUITS AT EXTRA SPECIAL PRICES
Lynn Valley Peaches. Special, per tin ..... **15¢**
Burford Peas. Specially priced, 2 tins for ..... **25¢**
Royal Brand Sliced Pineapple. Special, 2 tins for ..... **25¢**

Campbell's Tomato Soup. Special, 3 tins for ..... **25¢**
Libby's Corned Beef. Special, tin ..... **16¢**
Sun-Maid Seedlesa Raisins. Special, per packet ..... **17¢**
3 packets for ..... **50¢**
Libby's Ripe Olives, 5-oz. tin ..... **11¢**
3 tins for ..... **32¢**
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack. Special at ..... **39¢**

Santa Clara Prunes, 30-40's. Extra large size, 3 lbs. for ..... **35¢**

Moist Sair Dates, 4 lbs. for ..... **25¢**
Fancy Quality Walnut Pieces, lb., **33¢**
2 lbs. for ..... **65¢**
Evaporated Peaches. Special, per lb., **16¢**
Australian Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack. Special ..... **33¢**

1 Six-Cup Coffee Dripolator of best quality aluminum with **1 lb. H B C Freshly Ground Coffee.** Special for **$1.97**

Potatoes, fine cooking quality, per 100-lb. sack ..... **79¢**
No. 1 Carrots, per 100-lb. sack ..... **75¢**
Apples—Fancy Okanagan Winesap or Yellow Newtown, per box **$2.85**
Sunkist Lemons, per dozen ..... **18¢**
Jamaica Oranges, per dozen ..... **27¢**

HBC Quality Meats

1,000 Lbs. Legs of Pork Whole or Half, Per Lb. 12½c

1,000 lbs. Trimmed Loin Pork, per lb. **15c**

2,000 lbs. Rumps, Rounds and Prime Ribs of Beef, per lb. **17c**

Poultry Special
300 lbs. Good Turkeys
100 lbs. Ducks
200 lbs. Fresh Fowl
Per lb. **20c**

Please Order Early—Phone E 7111

Quality Butter

There's a big difference in butter. Poor quality butter costs only a few cents less than the best. We buy the best obtainable, which is the reason for our very large turnover. No butter sold by us is touched by hand. Our method of selling insures absolute cleanliness.

Selected Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **25¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **73¢**
Local Sweet Cream Butter, per lb., **27¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **78¢**
New Zealand Butter, per lb. ..... **38¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.10**

Large Sweet Juicy Navel Oranges

2 Dozen for **73c**

Jamaica Grapefruit. Extra large size. Each ..... **5¢**

Chateau Cheese

Plain or pimento, ½-lb. packet. Special at **17c**

Borden's Chocolate Malted Milk, No. 1 tin. Special ..... **47¢**

Oakleaf Brand Choice Australian Peaches

Special, No. 2 tin **25c**
2 tins for **48¢**

Australian Apricots, No. 2 tin **20c**

Aylmer Canadian Products

Assorted Soups. Eight varieties, 3 tins for ..... **27¢**
Chicken with Rice Soup, tin ..... **10¢**
All-Green Asparagus, No. 1 tin for ..... **28¢**
2 tins for ..... **55¢**
Golden Bantam Corn. Fancy quality, per tin ..... **14¢**
3 tins for ..... **40¢**

Burns' Quality Products

BURNS' DOMINION BACON, sliced side, per lb. **15c**
BURNS' LARD, pure refined, 3 lbs. for **29c**
BURNS' DOMINION HAMS, excellent quality, whole or half, per lb. **17c**

A Special Sale of Christie's Biscuits

Buttercrisp Cookies, 45 to the package. **16c**

Graham Wafers, 1-lb. packet ..... **16¢**
Snowflake Sodas, Plain or Salted. Family size packet ..... **16¢**

Lever Products

At Special Prices

Lux Soap Flakes. Small packets. Special, 3 for ..... **25¢**
Lifebuoy Soap, 3 cakes for ..... **22¢**
Sunlight Soap, per packet ..... **19¢**
3 for ..... **55¢**
Lux Toilet Soap. Special, 3 cakes for ..... **22¢**

Colman's Mustard

Specially Priced
¼'s, per tin ..... **25¢**
½'s, per tin ..... **47¢**
1's, per tin ..... **92¢**

Royal City Canned Foods

"There's Quality Canned in Royal City Brand"

Ripe Tomatoes. Large 2½ tin ..... **11¢**
3 tins for ..... **30¢**
Green Peas. Small and tender. Size 3, per tin ..... **14¢**
3 tins for ..... **40¢**
Green Cut Beans, tender and stringless, per tin ..... **13¢**
3 tins for ..... **37¢**
Spinach, No. 2 size tin ..... **15¢**

Ryvita Crispbread

Made from crushed whole grain rye.
Large packet ..... **42¢**
Medium packet ..... **23¢**

Hall's Boneless Chicken

7-oz. tin. Special for **32c**

Hall's Noodles with Chicken, in glass, 16-oz. size ..... **39¢**
Hall's Turkey Breat, 5½ oz., in glass ..... **42¢**
Hall's Turkey or Chicken Sandwich Spread, per tin ..... **15¢**

VI-TONE—The Tonic Food Beverage

1-lb. Tin **47c**

Blue Ribbon Products

Coffee, 1-lb. tin. Special ..... **45¢**
Tea, 1-lb. packet for ..... **42¢**
3 lbs. **$1.24**
Baking Powder, 12-oz. tin ..... **23¢**

Empress Pure Foods

Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin for **43c**
2-lb. tin ..... **27¢**
Argood Jam. Packed especially for the Hudson's Bay Company—Strawberry, Raspberry or Black Currant, 4-lb. tin ..... **45¢**
Jelly Powders, large packet **5c**

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

TRAVEL FROM SOUTH LIGHT

Aorangi Arrived From Antipodes and Coast Liner From California

From Australia via New Zealand and Hawaii, the Canadian-Australasian Line motor vessel Aorangi, Captain J. F. Spring-Brown, commander, docked at Rithet Piers shortly before 5 o'clock last night, and after disembarking passengers for the south and discharging a small amount of freight, left for Vancouver at 6 o'clock. The liner brought a light passenger list, there being but sixty-seven in all classes aboard, including thirty-five in the first class, nineteen in the second class, and thirteen in the third class. Fifteen passengers left the ship here for points in the United States, principally tourists returning from a holiday sojourn in the Hawaiian Islands. They transferred to the afternoon boat for Seattle, which was held over until 5:30 o'clock. Mails for the south also went by the same boat.

Officers of the Aorangi reported an exceptionally fine voyage all the way from Sydney, which enabled the ship to make a good run. She was not due here until this morning. Although the ships on this route have not been carrying heavy freights recently, the belief was expressed aboard that there will be a big improvement in shipments on this route if the trade treaty negotiated at Honolulu by Hon. H. H. Stevens and Hon. Downie Stewart, is approved by the Governments of Canada and New Zealand.

Among the prominent travelers aboard the Aorangi were Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Pierce, the former being the late headmaster of Wanganui Boys' College, New Zealand, en route to England; Dr. R. W. Harman and J. Dupre, of the Colonial Sugar Company, Australia, en route to Porto Rico, to attend a convention of sugar growers; D. Maughan, well-known barrister of Sydney, proceeding to London in connection with an appeal regarding the New South Wales Council; and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lloyd, the former being assistant secretary of Greenwich Seamen's Hospital, en route to England.

Vancouver passengers returning from Honolulu on the liner included Mr. and Mrs. Blake Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cameron.

LOCHMONAR IN

Five weeks out from London via Panama and California ports, the Royal Mail Steam Packet freight and passenger liner Lochmonar, Captain E. A. Turner, arrived alongside of Rithet Piers at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and after discharging local cargo, left for the Mainland shortly after 10 o'clock.

From California ports, the Pacific Steamship Company's coastal liner Emma Alexander docked alongside of Rithet Piers at 10:30 o'clock last night, and left for Seattle at midnight. The Emma Alexander brought in thirty-five travelers for Island and Mainland points and a small amount of cargo.

Advices from Vancouver state that the Canadian Pacific liner Ss. Empress of Japan will have 318 travelers in all classes aboard when she leaves the Mainland port on Saturday for Far Eastern countries via Honolulu.

The Nanking Government is building a boulevard on each side of the river and one around the city wall.

Mill Bay Ferry
(New Effective)

Lv. Brentwood	Lv. Mill Bay
9:00 a.m.	9:35 a.m.
10:10 a.m.	10:45 a.m.
11:30 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
12:45 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
2:40 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
4:15 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Gulf Islands Ferry Co., Ltd.

Saltspring Island Service

FERRY MS. "CY PECK"

DAILY (EXCEPT WEDNESDAY)

LEAVE SWARTZ BAY 9:30 A.M. 4:30 P.M.
LEAVE FULFORD 8:15 A.M. 3:00 P.M.

Subject to Change Without Notice

FERRY TARIFF

Passengers.....25c One Way; 50c Return
Automobiles.....75c to $1.50, According to Weight
Trucks.....$1.25 to $2.00, According to Size

STAGE CONNECTIONS
DAILY (EXCEPT WEDNESDAY)

LEAVE VICTORIA 8:00 A.M. *3:30 P.M. *2:00 P.M. on Sundays
LEAVE GANGES 7:30 A.M. 2:15 P.M.

Phone E 1177 Phone E 1178

Fishermen and Boats Missing On North Coast

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 28 (CP).—Fears are felt for the safety of three men, Chris Carlson, James Marshall and Albert Barton, who have been missing with their small gill net boats since they went fishing off Maiden Harbor on January 22. Severe storms occurred during that period.

READY FOR HARD PART

Cross-Country Flyers Expect to Reach Coast Airport Today

LETHBRIDGE, Jan. 28 (CP).—W. H. Cross, Victoria, owner of the plane, and Pilot J. Grubbstrom rested here tonight in preparation for their jump across the Rocky Mountains to Vancouver, the most difficult stretch of their transcanada flight.

The cabin monoplane in which the two are making their leisurely trip, was groomed for the hop to the Pacific Coast, and the start, if favorable weather reports are received, will be made early tomorrow. The flyers expect to make the Lethbridge-Vancouver flight in the single hop.

CALGARY, Jan. 28 (CP).—"The flight is not long, but it is difficult," said Lieut. W. L. Rutledge, one of a few flyers who have crossed the Rocky Mountains, both via the Crow's Nest Pass route and "over the top" from this foothills city. Lieut. Rutledge was commenting tonight on the plan of W. H. Cross, Victoria, and Pilot J. Grubbstrom to fly from Lethbridge to Vancouver, early tomorrow via the Crow's Nest Pass.

The flying distance between the two points, he said, was about 500 miles, with Government licensed airports at Fernie, Cranbrook, Trail, Grand Forks and Princeton. The flyers would have to be careful not to become trapped in fog on their flight through the Pass, he said. Worst flying conditions could be anticipated around the Coquihalla Pass, 300 miles west of Lethbridge, and just after leaving Princeton.

Obsessed with a desire to see strange places and having the wherewithal to gratify his desires, W. H. Cross, whose home is in Victoria and who is the owner of the plane flying across Canada, with Pilot Jark Grubbstrom in charge, has traveled extensively about the world, visiting many countries, although he has just turned his twenty-first year. He was born at Lausanne, Switzerland.

Determined to have a machine of his own to fly after he had been introduced to the thrills of a plane in flight by Pilot Maurice McGregor, also of Victoria, the young man left the Coast last April for New York. Obtaining the services of a competent instructor, he started in May to learn how to handle a machine in the air. Keen on attaining the knowledge necessary to qualify for a licence, he lost no time, with the result that he purchased a machine two months ago, engaged a pilot to accompany him, and started out last week from the East on a midwinter air trip across Canada.

GASBOAT WAS GUTTED

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 28 (CP).—The fishing boat J.B., formerly the Volunteer, was gutted by fire in the harbor here this afternoon. The owner, M. Jensen, was alone on the boat overhauling machinery when the engine backfired, causing the blaze. Jensen got away in a small boat.

APPOINTED TO TORONTO POST

Veteran of Railway Freight Service Receives Well-Merited Promotion

A railroad career that has seen many changes and covered much widely separated territory witnesses another movement in the transfer of Robert E. Larmour, general freight agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, from Montreal to Toronto, under announcement dated January 1.

Robert E. Larmour

Mr. Larmour has enjoyed a very wide experience in railway freight matters. Entering the Canadian Pacific Railway as a clerk in the superintendent's office at Fort William in November, 1898, he was promoted chief clerk the following year and in 1900 became acting agent at Fort William, being transferred back to Fort William as chief clerk in 1901. The same year he went as agent to Port Arthur and in 1903 was sent to Vancouver as assistant freight claims agent at Vancouver and in that year was appointed freight claims agent, Pacific division of the railway at Vancouver.

In 1905 he was freight claims agent at Winnipeg; in 1906, city freight agent at Winnipeg, and the same year was promoted general freight agent at Fort William. He acted in the same capacity during 1908 and 1909 at Nelson and Winnipeg. In 1911 he was divisional freight agent at Vancouver and in 1914 was assistant general freight agent at Vancouver. In 1915 he was transferred to New York as general agent and in 1919 became general freight agent of Eastern lines, stationed at Montreal. In 1921 he was appointed acting assistant freight traffic manager at Montreal and since 1922 has been general freight agent at Montreal.

Mainland Shipping

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Italian Line Ss. California sailed today for Mediterranean ports, according to Empire Shipping Co. The vessel, largest passenger vessel on the service from here to Europe, will take nearly 140 first cabin passengers from the Pacific Coast. Eight passengers went aboard here today, including Captain and Mrs. R. Drost, of Victoria, for Marseilles.

Two hundred bunches of Suva bananas arrived tonight on the Ms. Aorangi. This is the first shipment of this class of fruit from Suva for several years, and R. Robertson Company, importers, state that if the quality is up to expectation, further imports in the immediate future are likely.

Empire Shipping Co. Ltd., reports that Ss. Romanby has shifted from the stream to commence loading full with grain for United Kingdom, her space having been taken at 21 shillings by Kerr, Gifford & Co.

Canadian-American Shipping Co. reports Ms. Beljeanne at Burrard Drydock Co. plant this morning for slight rivet repairs forward. It is believed that it will not be necessary to drydock the vessel.

Twelve million feet of lumber, 1,000 tons of salt fish and 14,000 tons of grain, every ounce of the commodities being British Columbia or Western Canadian products, will move in the next ten days from this port for China on four ships of Canadian Transport Co. Ltd.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 28.—Robert Armes, deck boy on the Blue Star freighter Royal Star, was taken to St. Mary's Hospital as the result of being seriously injured when the ship was near Victoria. He fell down the hold, suffering a fracture of a leg, severe injury to an eye, and other injuries.

BETHLEHEM STEEL OMITS DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Bethlehem Steel Corporation today omitted the dividend on its common stock.

In the two preceding quarters 50 cents a share was paid, a reduction from $1 dividend in first quarter of 1931. Prior to that period the stock had been on a $6 annual basis since July, 1929. No dividends were paid from July, 1924, to the first quarter of 1929, when a $4 basis was established.

The regular quarterly dividend of $1.75 on the preferred was declared.

Silver Markets

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Bar silver quiet and 1-16d lower at 19 1-16d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Bar silver quiet and unchanged at 29 1-4c.

Silver futures closed steady; sales, 450,000 ounces. Quotations in cents, bid: March, 29.68; May, 30.12; July, 30.50; September, 30.78; December, 31.22.

LOANS TO BROKERS LOWER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Loans to brokers and dealers held by New York Federal Reserve member banks for the week ending January 27 were announced by the Federal Reserve Board today as $513,000,000, representing a decrease of $18,000,000 as compared with the preceding week. The loans for the week ending January 28, 1931, were $1,734,000,000

An Accomplished Aviatrix

SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD Sylvia Warliker, of London, England, can fly four types of planes and has received her "A" pilot's licence. She is the first woman to fly this type of craft, a Klemm monoplane, as seen at Croydon.

MADE PLEA FOR UNITY

Chairman of Canadian National Railways Talked to Eastern Trade Group

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 28.—At the same time as he apologized for his inability to talk at length on the railway situation while under review by the Royal Commission, Sir Henry W. Thornton, chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, speaking before the Chamber of Commerce, here last night, answered recent criticisms.

"The statement that the Canadian National Railways was in any sense responsible for the position of its privately-owned competitor is not exactly in order," said Sir Henry, referring to the remarks of J. T. Hackett, K.C., member for Stanstead, Que., in Toronto a few days ago. These he characterized as comment by one not particularly familiar with the subject.

"As one who has spent his life in railway work, I may with safety say that the Canadian Pacific is a credit to the Dominion of Canada and is performing a distinguished Canadian service. But I say it is no more insolvent than any other great Canadian company."

His only quarrel with the Royal Commission probing the transportation system was, he said, that instead of being appointed last year it should have been appointed forty years ago. Referring to the commission, he said: "I believe it will suggest useful things to be done and perhaps a remedy." He praised the make-up of the commission, and said: "We may as well wait patiently and with confidence for their report."

Sir Henry ended with an appeal for united support of all who are bearing burdens of state and industry at the present time, regardless of political and social differences.

Toronto Produce

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP).—United Farmers' Co-operative Co. today supplied the Canadian Press with the following quotations on produce delivered at Toronto:

Eggs—Extras, doz., 17c; firsts, 14c.

Cream—Churning, No. 1, lb., 16c to 19c.

Creamery butter—No. 1 solids, lb., 18 1-2c.

Potatoes—No. 1, in bags, 25c to 28c.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN—Overcast; calm; 30.00; 36; light swell.
PACHENA—Cloudy; calm; 30.06; 33; light swell.
CARMANAH—Snow; calm; 30.03; light swell.
CAPE BEALE—Overcast; calm; 29.97; sea smooth.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)

AKAGABAN MARU — Japan for San Francisco, 900 miles west of San Francisco.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—Los Angeles for Victoria, 612 miles from Victoria.
SAGEBRUSH—San Francisco for Seattle, 100 miles north of San Francisco.
BADJESTAN — Vancouver for Europe, passed Cape Flattery at 1:20 p.m.
WEST HONAKER — Bound Vancouver, 468 miles from Vancouver.

West Coast Mails

AHOUSAT, BAMFIELD, CACHALOT, CEEPEECEE, CLATOQUOT, CLO-OOSE, ECOOLE, ESTEVAN POINT, KAKAWIS, KLIDONAN, KYUQUOT, NOOTKA, PORT ALBERNI, PORT RENFREW, QUEEN'S COVE, SAN MATEO, SECHART, TOFINO, UCLUELET

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.
Mails due 9th, 19th and 29th of each month.

CENTRAL ISLAND

Mails close 10 p.m., 21st of each month; 8:30 a.m., 22nd of each month.
Mails due 20th of each month.

CACHALOT, CLATOQUOT, ESTEVAN POINT, KAKAWIS, KYUQUOT, TOFINO

Mails close 8:30 a.m.

CLO-OOSE, PORT RENFREW

Mails close 6th, 16th and 26th of each month.

HOLBERG, JUNE LANDING, PORT ALICE, QUATSINO

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Mondays 1:15 p.m., Fridays.
Mails due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.

SAN MATEO, BAMFIELD, PORT ALICE, QUATSINO

Mails close 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Mails due 4:30 p.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

SECHART AND UCLUELET

Mails close 8:30 a.m., Thursday and Saturday.
Mails due 4:30 p.m., Monday and Friday.

Gulf Island Mail

(Effective October 4, 1931)

GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday; 10 a.m., Tuesday.
Mails due 5:30 p.m., Monday; 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close 10 a.m., Tuesday; 11:15 p.m., Wednesday, Friday.
Mails due 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday.

SATURNA, SOUTH PENDER

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday.
Mails due 5:30 p.m., Monday; 7:15 a.m., Friday.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Wednesday, Friday.
Mails due 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday.
Mails due 5:30 p.m., Monday.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN
(February, 1932)

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close 4 p.m., February 6. Due at Yokohama February 16; Shanghai, February 23; Hongkong, February 28.
*SHIDZUOKA MARU—Mails close 4 p.m., February 9. Due at Yokohama February 26.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close 4 p.m., February 20. Due at Yokohama March 4; Shanghai, March 8; Hongkong, March 11.
*HIYE MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails Yokohama March 9.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m., February 27. Due at Yokohama March 10, close 11:15 p.m., February 24. Due at Shanghai, March 14; Hongkong, March 17.
*Mail for Japan only.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

AORANGI—Mails close 5 p.m., February 3. Due at Auckland February 22; Sydney, February 27.
MAKURA (via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., February 14. Due at Wellington March 7; Sydney, March 12.
SIERRA (via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., February 23. Due at Auckland March 18; Sydney, March 22.
NIAGARA—Mails close 5 p.m., March 2. Due at Auckland March 21; Sydney, March 26.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, January 17
PRESIDENT TAFT — Philippine Islands, Japan and China, January 28.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—Japan, January 28.
LOCH MONAR — United Kingdom, January 29
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE — United Kingdom, January 30.

TO DEPART

HIKAWA MARU — Japan (Vancouver), January 31
PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, January 23.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN — Hawaii, Japan, China, and Philippine Islands, January 30.

British Mails

SS. WESTERNLAND—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 24.
SS. ATHENIA—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 25.
SS. BREMEN (via New York)—Mails close 3:15 p.m., January 28.
SS. MONTROSE—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 30.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail for New York can be sent two days later than the dates indicated.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 24 and 30.

Northern Points

(Effective September, 1931)

PRINCE RUPERT

Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday, Tuesday Wednesday and Friday.

POINTS EAST OF PRINCE RUPERT

Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

STEWART, PREMIER AND ANYOX

Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Thursday and Friday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday and Friday.

SWANSON BAY

Mails close 1:15 p.m., Tuesday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Friday.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday and Wednesday.

Honolulu Mails

VIA SAN FRANCISCO—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 8, 12, 17, 19, 26, 24 and 26; February 7, 8 and 9.
SS. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 5 p.m., January 15.
SS. EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close 5 p.m., January 30.
SS. AORANGI — Mails close 5 p.m., February 3.

Queen Charlotte Mails

Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 29, February 12 and 26, March 11 and 25.
Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 19; February 2 and 16; March 1, 15 and 29.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 11 and 25; February 8.
VIA SEATTLE — Mails close 4 p.m., January 12; February 1.

TRANSPORTATION MAN SPENT DAY IN CITY

C. A. Whitelock, British Columbia representative of the Cunard Line, was in the city yesterday calling on local transportation agents in connection with his company's business. He stated there was a distinctly better feeling growing in transportation circles over the number of inquiries being received throughout Canada, particularly from people in Atlantic crossings.

The Eucharistic Congress at Dublin will be attended by great numbers from Canada and the United States, Mr. Whitelock stated, and the Cunard Company was making every provision to handle large traffic. Several Cunard ships have been chartered by Catholic organizations for the trip. Regular sailings of the Cunard from Montreal and New York are scheduled for June 13, the Antonia leaving the former port, and the Samaria leaving the latter port. Both these ships will remain in Ireland for some time, and may be utilized as hotels by the passengers who make the trip.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)

8:00 a.m.—Good Mornina.
8:15 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.
8:30 a.m.—Request music.
10:15 a.m.—Shippina with Suzette.
10:30 a.m.—Request programme.
11:30 a.m.—Bert Zela, pianist.
11:45 a.m.—Request music.
12:00 noon—Melody Time.
12:15 p.m.—World Book Man.
12:20 p.m.—Musical Miniature.
6:00 p.m.—Modern Melodies.
6:30 p.m.—Sunset Time.
7:00 p.m.—Canadian Pacific Hour.
8:00 p.m.—Studio Presentation.
8:15 p.m.—Mrs. D. B. McConnan, dramatic soprano.

N.B.C.

9:15 a.m.—Beautiful Thoughts.
9:30 a.m.—Rembrandt Trio.
10:30 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
11:30 a.m.—Organ recital.
12:00 noon—Luncheon concert.
12:15 p.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 p.m.—Community Chest.
2:15 p.m.—N.B.C. Matinee.
3:00 p.m.—The Entertainers.
3:30 p.m.—Three Mustachios.
3:45 p.m.—Lovable Liars.
4:00 p.m.—Major Bowes' Family.
4:30 p.m.—News Service.
4:45 p.m.—Little Buster Circus Parade.
5:00 p.m.—Cities Service Concert Orchestra.
6:00 p.m.—Rural Sketch.
6:30 p.m.—Armour programme.
7:00 p.m.—Paul Whiteman's Paint Men
7:30 p.m.—R.K.O. Theatre of the Air.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
6:15 p.m.—Brownbill Footlites.
8:30 p.m.—Demi-Tasse Revue.
9:00 p.m.—Disturbers.
9:15 p.m.—Story of Christmas.
9:45 p.m.—John and Ned.
10:00 p.m.—Mystery Serial.
10:00 p.m.—Richfield News Flashes.
10:30 p.m.—Meditation.
11:00 p.m.—Lofner-Harris Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra.
12:00 m.n.-12:30 a.m.—N.B.C. organ recital

C.B.S.

9:30 a.m.—Columbia Revue.
10:00 a.m.—Poinsett Varieties.
11:00 a.m.—Eton Boys.
11:30 a.m.—American School.
12:00 noon—Navy Band.
12:15 p.m.—Columbia Salon Orchestra
12:30 p.m.—Arthur Jarrett.
12:45 p.m.—Columbia Educational Feature.
1:00 p.m.—Light opera gems.
1:30 p.m.—Edna Thomas.
1:45 p.m.—Curtis Institute.
2:00 p.m.—Jewish art programms.
2:30 p.m.—John Kelvin.
2:45 p.m.—Football forecasts.
4:00 p.m.—Hairstal's Orchestra.
4:15 p.m.—Red Nichols
5:30 p.m.—March of Time.
6:00 p.m.—White House Tavern.
7:45 p.m.—Myrt and Marge.
8:00 p.m.—Bing Crosby.
8:15 p.m.—Street Singer.
8:30 p.m.—Camel Quarter-Hour.
8:45 p.m.—Baker Chocolate Programme.
9:00 p.m.—Schrceder Hotel.
9:15 p.m.—Resinol Programme.

KOMO, Seattle (325.9m)

10:00 p.m.—Richfield News Flashes, N.B.C
10:15 p.m.—Life Saver Success Reporter.
10:30 p.m.—Vocal ensemble.
10:35 p.m.—Baldy, Yeannimore Co.
10:45 p.m.—Edna Wallace Hopper.
11:00 p.m.—Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra, N.B.C.
12:00 m.n.-12:30 a.m.—Organ recital.

KJR, Seattle (309.1m)

8:30 p.m.—A Self-Made Halfback.
9:00 p.m.—Union Oil Programme.
9:15 p.m.—Vic Meyers' Dance Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Earl Burinett's Orchestra.
10:15 p.m.—Palace Hotel Vasabonds.
11:00 p.m.—Norman's San Franciscans.

SHIPPING FEDERATION SEEKING LOWER RATES FROM NORTHERN PORT

OTTAWA, Jan. 28 (CP).—Further efforts will be made at the February meeting of the British Shipping Federation to secure lower rates on grain cargoes out of Churchill, it was learned at the Department of Marine today. Negotiations to this end have been under way for some time and the department recently forwarded late ice and weather reports concerning the area of Hudson Bay and Straits, to be laid before the underwriters.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS OF CABLE TOLLS ARE RELEASED BY BRANCH

Estimated traffic receipts of the Pacific Cable Board, furnished by H. C. Cox, manager of the Bamfield branch, show that during December, 1931, the receipts were £451,831, as compared with December, 1930, £436,407. The aggregate receipts for twelve months, January to December, 1931, were £4,839,437, as against £5,365,561 for the corresponding period in 1930.

The sum of £21,000 must be deducted from the message receipts for December, 1931, in making a comparison with December, 1930, owing to changed conditions of sharing traffic. In comparing aggregates regard must be had to the notes issued with the traffic figures for March to December, 1931.

CITY BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings in Victoria for the week ending yesterday totaled $1,327,406, compared with $1,612,927 for the corresponding period of last year.

New aluminum alloys, which are made in England and which have been ousting German alloys, are in great demand for automobile bodies and motors, as these alloys stand tests previously regarded as impossible.

AIR HISTORY STILL YOUNG

Royal Aeronautical Society Was Born Just Sixty-Six Years Ago

Sixty-six years ago, on January 12, six men met at the residence in Campden Hill, Kensington, of the Duke of Argyll, and transacted business down for discussion at the preliminary meeting of the Royal Aeronautical Society. The enthusiasts who launched that day the most distinguished, and now the oldest, organization of its kind in the world were the Duke of Argyll himself, who was appointed first president of the society; James Glaisher, a famous aeronaut who later ascended in a balloon to the terrific height of more than 37,000 feet; Dr. Hugh Diamond, F. H. Wenham, well known for his researches into the engineering problems of flight; James W. Butler and F. W. Brearley.

THE FIRST COUNCIL

The Duke of Sutherland and Lord Richard Grosvenor were named vice-presidents, and five other men, with those already mentioned, shared the posts of secretary and treasurer and membership of the first council of the society.

Following the election of officers, Mr. Glaisher read an address, in which he stressed the importance of elevating the study of aeronautics to the dignity of an exact science and the need for investigation of weather conditions. A thorough knowledge of atmospheric currents, temperature and phenomena of storms, he said, "may lead to weather predictions highly beneficial to mankind." He also suggested the invention of effective steering appliances for balloons, which would make possible "changes of locality at the will of the aeronaut."

SAME OLD SPIRIT

One of Mr. Glaisher's opening remarks voices exactly the opinion of people who nowadays dislike seeing airplanes used as a circus vehicle without justifiable motive. He said: "Balloons have been, with but very few exceptions, employed merely for exhibition or for the purpose of public entertainment, and, the first wonder having ceased, sundry performances have been resorted to in order to pander to the public taste for the grotesque and the hazardous . . ."

The eminent pioneer was speaking less than a lifespan from the present day. Not in his wildest dreams could he have dared to foresee the present stage of progress in aviation, when flying machines have spanned the world and armies move by air.

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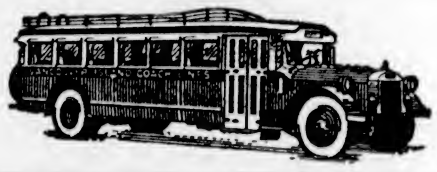

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DAILY SCHEDULE

Northbound—Read Down			Southbound—Read Up	
1:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.	NANAIMO	12:00 n'n	5:00 p.m.
1:10 p.m.	8:10 p.m.	Wellington	11:50 a.m.	4:50 p.m.
1:20 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	Lantzville	11:40 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	Straits Lumber Co.	11:30 a.m.	4:30 p.m.
1:45 p.m.	8:45 p.m.	Cook's	11:15 a.m.	4:15 p.m.
1:55 p.m.	8:55 p.m.	Parksville	10:55 a.m.	3:55 p.m.
2:18 p.m.	9:15 p.m.	Errington	10:45 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
2:20 p.m.	9:20 p.m.	Coombs	10:40 a.m.	3:40 p.m.
2:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	Hillier's	10:30 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
2:45 p.m.	9:45 p.m.	Cameron Lake	10:20 a.m.	3:20 p.m.
3:10 p.m.	10:10 p.m.	Summit	10:00 a.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	A. P. L. Crossing	9:30 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
3:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	Alberni	9:15 a.m.	2:15 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	PORT ALBERNI	9:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

CREAT CENTRAL AND SPROAT LAKE STAGE

4:00 p.m.	PORT ALBERNI		9:00 a.m.
4:10 p.m.	Alberni		8:45 a.m.
4:40 p.m.	Sproat Lake Mill		8:15 a.m.
5:00 p.m.	GREAT CENTRAL MILL		8:00 a.m.

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At the Theatres

VARIETY SEEN IN COMPANY'S PLAYS

Sir Barry Jackson and Players Offering Fine Productions at Royal Theatre

Variety is the keynote of the repertoire provided by the selection of plays to be presented by Sir Barry Jackson's Company of British Players during their visit here. At the Royal Victoria Theatre, beginning tonight at 8:15 o'clock, Sir Barry offers "Yellow Sands," by Eden and Adelaide Phillpotts.

In sharp contrast to the limpid heroine and laconic people of "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," the atmosphere and settings of which are laden with the background and restrictions of the Victorian era, one is offered in "Yellow Sands" the invigorating fresh air of the seaside, and the vitality of seafaring folk, minus all nonessentials of living and simple to the last degree.

S. Morgan Powell, in his criticism of "Yellow Sands" in The Montreal Star, comments: "Difficult at times to realize that the company was the same that had presented 'The Barretts of Wimpole Street,' so utterly different in every direction was the type portrayed and the nature of the play interpreted—one felt almost as though a new company was on the boards."

CAPITOL THEATRE Douglas Scott, four-year-old child actor, plays an important figure in the plot motivation of John Gilbert's latest picture, "The Phantom of Paris," currently playing at the Capitol Theatre. The youngster is first to recognize the deception when Gilbert, with his face remade, poses as the child's father. The unwonted kindness of the father to the child also arouses the suspicions of the mother, played by Leila Hyams.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE One may always be reasonably sure of a good picture when George O'Brien plays a leading featured role. He is currently seen and heard on the screen at the Playhouse Theatre in "A Holy Terror," the Fox production directed by Irving Cummings. Sally Eilers portrays the leading feminine role and others in the cast are Rita La Roy, Humphrey Bogart, James Kirkwood, Stanley Fields, Robert Warwick, Richard Tucker and Earl Pingree.

DOMINION THEATRE Conchita Montenegro, Spanish dancer who leaped to film fame with her work in "Never the Twain Shall Meet," plays her second featured role in "The Cisco Kid," now showing at the Dominion Theatre. In this Fox Film offering, she has the part of a border entertainer whose affections are one of the chief causes of battle between Warner Baxter and Edmund Lowe.

COLUMBIA THEATRE A replica of the famous stage coaches used in the early history of Nevada and California, correct in every detail, is used in the new Tiffany Western drama, "The Nevada Buckaroo," featuring popular Bob Steele, which is on the programme of the Columbia Theatre this week.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage

Royal—Sir Barrie Jackson presents "The Barretts of Wimpole Street."

On the Screen

Capitol—John Gilbert in "The Phantom of Paris."

Columbia—"The Nevada Buckaroo," starring Bob Steele.

Dominion—Warner Baxter in "Cisco Kid."

Empire—"77 Park Lane," featuring Dennis Neilson-Terry.

Playhouse—George O'Brien in "A Holy Terror."

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FINE COMEDY AT SHRINE TONIGHT

Victoria Little Theatre Association to Present "Matinata" for Two-Day Showing

The Victoria Little Theatre Association, formerly known as the Mimes and Masquers' Guild, will present their second performance of the season at the Shrine auditorium tonight and Saturday. "Matinata," by Lawrence Langner, is a whimsical comedy, dainty and delightful. The three characters are in the official costumes of columbine, pierrot and harlequin, and the setting is an unusual one. Nina Napier is responsible for the play's direction, while the cast is composed of Dorothy Cox as Columbine, Alan King as Pierrot and Fraser Lister as Harlequin.

"The House With the Twisty Windows," by Mary Pakington, and under the direction of Leslie Lamb, takes the audience to Leningrad during the Red Terror. An eerie setting with the thrills of the Russian revolution with a dash of Irish folk lore for good measure.

"The Pot Boiler," by Alice Gerstenbery, especially released for the association by arrangement with Longmans, Green & Company, is under the direction of Harry Dee.

"CAUGHT PLASTERED" TO OPEN TOMORROW

The world's long-distance record for film stars appearing in consecutive successful productions is threatened.

Dorothy Lee and Bert Wheeler, opening tomorrow at the Empire Theatre, in Radio Pictures' comedy, "Caught Plastered," have played opposite each other in seven straight films, all comedies, with mounting popularity.

Scientist Visits U.S.

VISITING the United States to confer with notables of the scientific world at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, and at Mount Wilson Observatory, Professor Albert Einstein, noted German savant of relativity fame, is shown as he came down the gangplank at Los Angeles on his arrival. Mrs. Einstein accompanied her distinguished husband.

FREDRIC MARCH STARS IN DOMINION THRILLER

The first dramatic stage part secured by Miriam Hopkins after appearing in several Broadway musical comedy successes, was in a drama called "The Puppets." Fredric March was in the same dramatic cast, his first assignment on the professional stage. It is a coincidence that these two stage and screen stars should again meet on the screen, each cast in the strongest dramatic roles of their careers, in the famous classic, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which is being shown Saturday as the feature picture at the Dominion Theatre.

BERT LYTELL STARS IN "THE SINGLE SIN"

Bert Lytell's favorite recreation is trout fishing. Give him a swift, rushing stream, a rod and reel and a beautiful assortment of flies and all is bliss. But when he is asked to tell a fish story, this is a sample of what the audience may get:

"There was once a man who killed a bear and made himself a set of false teeth out of the bear's teeth, and then ate the bear!"

Bert Lytell is at the Playhouse Theatre next week with Kay Johnson in "The Single Sin," a Tiffany production written by A. P. Younger and directed by William Nigh.

The University of Gottingen has conferred an honorary degree on Lord Rutherford, of Cambridge University.

CHURCH REPORTS ARE GRATIFYING

Good Progress Made at Belmont United, Annual Statements Show —Officers Elected

Church work during the past year performed by the Belmont United Church was reviewed at the annual meeting held recently. Rev. James Hood, the pastor, presided, and reports from the various departments were heard.

The work of the C.G.I.T. was reviewed by Miss Mona Emery, while Miss Lily Perry outlined the activities of the Swasticka Mission Circle. The report of the Women's Auxiliary was submitted by Mrs. John Hall, and Mrs. Perry told of the duties of the Women's Missionary Society.

General progress during the year was reported by T. Bailey, superintendent of the Sunday School, who stated that increases were noticeable in roll and average attendance. An excellent report was also given by Fred Emery, treasurer for stewards, which showed that the year had ended with a balance.

The following officers were elected following the business session: H. A. Andrews and C. C. Howard, elders; J. Chapman, R. P. Knott, Fred Emery, G. Webber, W. B. Wellwood, W. Cook, Mrs. F. Emery and Mrs. G. Butler, board of stewards. Refreshments were served by the Ladies' Aid.

Two-thirds of the Swiss shoes exported are made in one factory, which employs 7,000 workmen.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Unc' Billy Sees Runty Carried Away

—By THORNTON W. BURGESS—

For carelessness we have to pay,
Nor can the hand of justice stay.
—Unc' Billy Possum.

Unc' Billy Possum, peeping out from his hiding-place in the old stone wall opposite Farmer Brown's henhouse, saw Farmer Brown's Boy enter and his heart sank. Runty had not come out and Unc' Billy had grown very fond of Runty.

"That li'l rascal is sho'ly gwine to get in a peck of trouble now," muttered Unc' Billy. "Ah feel it in mah bones. Yes, suh, Ah feel it in mah bones. He isn't gwine to fool Farmer Brown's Boy, fo' Ah done try it mah own self, and it didn't work. Trouble, a peck of trouble, is waiting fo' that li'l rascal. That is what comes of not minding. If he had stayed behind as Ah told him he would be all right now and we-uns would be safe over in the Green Forest. Ah wonder what he will do when Farmer Brown's Boy finds him, fo' find him he sho'ly will."

"That li'l rascal is sho'ly gwine to get in a peck of trouble now," Muttered Unc' Billy

Farmer Brown's Boy did. That second empty shell was right in the nest in which Runty was hiding under the straw. When Farmer Brown's Boy opened the henhouse door and entered Runty couldn't see him, but he could hear him and his little heart began to thump with fright. Who was coming? He never had seen a human being and he didn't know anything about human beings save what Unc' Billy had told him. So when the hand of Farmer Brown's Boy began to feel about in that nest he didn't know what it was, but he did know that he was terribly frightened and he wanted to jump out and run.

Frightened as he was he didn't forget what he had been taught. No, sir, he didn't forget. "When yo' don't know what to do just play daid," Unc' Billy had told him over and over again. So Runty overcame his desire to jump and run and remained perfectly still while Farmer Brown's Boy felt about in the straw of that nest. It was a great temptation to bite those exploring fingers, but Runty didn't.

"Ha!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's Boy as he felt the little fur-coated body. "Whom have we here?"

By his funny little tail he lifted Runty out and held him up. Runty gave no sign of life. Farmer Brown's Boy chuckled. "As I live," he exclaimed, "it is one of Unc' Billy Possum's children! What are you doing in my henhouse, you little rascal? You look to be too young to be out in the Great World all by yourself. Did your mammy bring you over here? Are any of your brothers and sisters with you?"

Of course, Runty made no reply. He was frightened almost to death by this great giant, but frightened as he was he didn't forget to play dead. Farmer Brown's Boy kept hold of him by his tail while he hunted that henhouse over thoroughly until he was sure that there were no more Possums in there. Then he collected the eggs in a basket and with this in one hand and Runty in the other left the henhouse.

Unc' Billy saw him come out and that his fears were realized; Runty had been caught. But Unc' Billy knew Farmer Brown's Boy and he didn't feel as badly as he would had it been someone else who had caught Runty. He even grinned as he saw how perfectly Runty was playing dead.

"The li'l rascal done remember what Ah told him," muttered Unc' Billy. "He's smart, is that li'l Possum. He isn't fooling Farmer Brown's Boy, but he thinks he is and Ah reckon he is gwine to learn a lot befo' he gets back to the Green Forest. Ah wonder what Farmer Brown's Boy will do with him. Ah reckon Ah done got to stay around awhile to help him get away if there is a chance."

Up to the house to show Mother Brown Farmer Brown's Boy took Runty. He held him out for her to see. "Where did you kill him?" demanded Mother Brown.

Farmer Brown's Boy chuckled. "If he is dead he killed himself," he replied. "But he isn't dead. There isn't a thing the matter with him. He is playing the old Possum trick of pretending to be dead. I found him in the henhouse. He had eaten two eggs and I guess he went to sleep. He hasn't moved since I found him. I am going to keep him for awhile for a pet."

The next story: "An Old Acquaintance."

Basic Facts About Canada Life Affairs
—85th Year

	1911	1921	1931
Total Business in Force.....	$135,615,253	$320,090,107	$1,029,758,735
Total Premium Income.....	4,553,385	11,176,712	38,370,111
Total Income from All Sources	6,543,201	15,538,498	50,939,334
Net Surplus Earned.....	1,293,597	2,600,285	5,651,590
Payments to Policyholders and Beneficiaries	2,295,073	6,585,661	25,584,206
Assets for Protection of Policyholders	44,257,341	80,098,235	204,776,019

Through the ever-changing conditions of 85 years—wars, epidemics, periods of financial stringency, panics and depressions, the Canada Life has steadily progressed.

Summary of Remarks of the President, Mr. Leighton McCarthy, at Annual Meeting of Canada Life

Canadians should look forward with confidence, because their accumulated resources are infinitely greater than they have ever been, and their undeveloped wealth, which was once so largely a matter of speculation, rather than of proven fact, is now known beyond any doubt whatever to exist to an extent far surpassing the most optimistic estimates made in past years.

In considering the various phases of the economic setback which Canada has received, it is important to remember that they have arisen mainly from extraneous and not internal causes. Canada's position is fortunate in that she is the producer of raw materials which the world demands, and which can be produced in Canada at a low cost. Provided Canada exercises thrift and economy in expenditures, both public and private, she should be able to meet all her obligations at home and abroad.

The likelihood of a new and greater world prosperity does not lie in the realms of finance or politics so much as in the intelligence and ingenuity brought to bear on the problems of interchange of goods and services by the manufacturers and traders of the different countries. There never was a finer opportunity for the building of a greater and better business structure, and the situation should appeal to the imagination and ingenuity of man.

Life Insurance Companies have met the test of this period in a manner which has demonstrated as never before their strength, integrity and absolute reliability. Looking back over years still fresh in our memories we find that Life Insurance has always successfully played a major part in supporting the economic fabric; it has allayed fear in the time of panics and ameliorated the shock of world war and the deadly effects of influenza. The present world-wide depression and economic disturbance have caused a revision of values which has tested the Insurance Companies and demonstrated that they have not only rendered outstanding public service, but have emerged with increased public confidence. With the return of more favorable conditions, Life Insurance will continue to grow in service, in usefulness and in amounts beyond anything it has heretofore achieved.

The well-directed efforts of Canada Life representatives have paid for $116,048,075 of new assurances. They also sold annuities with considerations of $5,653,823, an increase of $2,459,514 over the annuity figures of the previous year. The result of the year's work, after deducting death claims, maturing endowments and other terminations, has been to increase business in force to the sum of $1,029,758,735.

Total net income from all sources was $50,939,334, exceeding by $5,422,887 the income of 1930.

The Company has made payments during last year of $25,584,206, an increase of $2,437,105 under its contracts, in settlement of death claims, maturing endowments, dividends, annuities and cash values for surrendered policies, and of this amount $16,979,465 was paid to living policyholders.

The Surplus Funds and Special Reserves of the Company are $8,170,995, after writing down securities by $1,753,422. These surplus funds include $3,481,500 payable to policyholders as dividends during the Company's dividend year ending in 1932, and $3,496,426 of unassigned surplus, the latter being an increase of $256,547. This reflects an encouraging rate of mortality, a wise selection of lives, and satisfactory earnings from carefully selected Investment Securities.

The reserves for liabilities are established on a basis which provides a greater margin of security for policyholders than the Insurance Laws require by several million dollars. The assets have been entered at book values, the total of which is lower than it would be if the values officially established by the Dominion Insurance Department had been used.

Assets passed the Two Hundred Million mark this year, and amount to $204,776,019. This means that the Assets have doubled since 1924, when they were One Hundred Million Dollars. The proportion of Bond holdings in the Government and Municipal class has been largely augmented this year. Over Seventeen Million of the Twenty-Five Million Dollars invested in Bonds this year were selected from these classes.

Government and Municipal Bonds comprise 47% of the total of a broadly diversified and carefully selected list of Bonds, Debentures and other securities.

The gross earnings from the general operations of the Company during the year amounted to $7,405,013.

The ratio of expense to total income showed a substantial decrease.

Single premiums and annual first year premiums for both ordinary and annuity business showed an increase of over four million dollars.

Leighton McCarthy, K.C.
President
E. R. Wood, LL.D.
Vice-President

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JACKIE FIELDS REGAINS WELTERWEIGHT TITLE

Maroons and Canadiens Battle to Tie; Bruins Whip New York Rangers

Intracity Rivals Play to 3-3 Draw; Boston Wins 4-1

Montreal Teams Put Up Exciting Overtime Exhibition Without Decision—Bruins Come Out of Long Losing Slump to Take League Leaders Into Camp

Falcons Down Hawks by 4-2 Count

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—A goal each in overtime left Montreal Maroons and the world champion Canadiens tied at 3-all after an exciting National Hockey League game between the intracity rivals here tonight.

It was a hard-fought game from the opening whistle, with the fast Canadiens slightly superior throughout. It was a cleanly played contest, despite a toll of three major penalties. Gagnon and Conacher each drew a major for a wild fist fight in the first period, and then Nels Stewart, of the Maroons, finished the game in the penalty box with a major penalty for hitting Johnny Gagnon over the head.

Both teams scored twice in the second period, Conacher and Trottier netting for the Maroons and Larochelle and Wasnie evening the count. The other two periods were scoreless.

Aurel Joliat put the Canadiens ahead with a nice goal in the overtime. He smartly snared Lepine's pass and jammed it into the Maroons' cage. The Maroons pressed furiously in the few minutes that remained and Nels Stewart finally forced the tie, racing in from the blue line to bat Hooley Smith's rebound in behind Hainsworth, who was flat on the ice.

Line-Ups

Canadiens—Hainsworth; Burke, S. Mantha; Morenz, Gagnon, Joliat. Subs: Lepine, Larochelle, Lesieur, Munro, Wasnie, G. Mantha, Mondou.

Maroons—Walsh; Conacher, Wilcox; Stewart, Brydson, Trottier. Subs: Siebert, Smith, Phillips, Starr, McVicar, Ward, Northcott.

Referees—Mallinson and Dalgneault.

Summary

First Period—No score. Penalties: Conacher (major and minor), Gagnon (major), Morenz.

Second Period—1, Maroons, Conacher, 2:08; 2, Maroons, Trottier, 2:22; 3, Canadiens, Larochelle (G. Mantha), 1:12; 4, Canadiens, Wasnie (Lepine and G. Mantha), 13:13. Penalties: None.

Third Period—No score. Penalties: Conacher.

Overtime Period—5, Canadiens, Joliat (Lepine), 4:58; 6, Maroons, Stewart (Smith), 2:47. Penalties: Burke, Stewart (major).

BRUINS COME TO LIFE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The Boston Bruins broke their losing streak, which had dropped them to last place in the National Hockey League's American group, by defeating their old rivals, the New York Rangers, tonight, 4-1.

After ten games without a victory, the Bruins came back with a fine exhibition of all-around good hockey and added almost all of the game's "breaks" to it. Of their four goals, only two were fully earned, and one of those came as Harry Oliver broke away from a five-man Ranger attack near the end of the game.

The Rangers got off ahead on Bunny Cook's goal early in the first period. The Bruins tied it up three minutes later on their first lucky goal. Earl Seibert, Ranger defence man, sent the puck into his own net while trying to clear Marty Barry's shot.

Barry got the deciding goal in the second period on a beautiful wing shot. In the third Art Chapman sent another drive from the boards past Johnny Roach when the Ranger goalie, apparently thinking it was wide, hardly tried to stop the puck.

Line-Ups

Rangers—Roach; Heller, Johnson; Boucher, W. Cook, F. Cook. Subs: Milks, Seibert, Murdoch, Keeling, Somers, Gainor, Desjardins, Dillon.

Boston—Jackson; Shore, Hitchman; Chapman, Oliver, Galbraith. Subs: Owen, Foster, Touhey, Burke, A. Cook, Sutherland, Weiland, Clapper, Barry.

Officials—Rodden and Hewitson.

Summary

First Period—1, Rangers, F. Cook (Johnson and W. Cook), 8:37; 2, Boston, Barry (Clapper), 2:53. Penalties: Shore, Milks, Heller.

Second Period—3, Boston, Barry (Chapman), 4:04. Penalties: Heller (major), Owen, Oliver, Hitchman.

Third Period—4, Boston, Chapman (Hitchman), 7:06; 5, Boston, Oliver, 10:41. Penalties: None.

FALCONS STOP HAWKS

DETROIT, Jan. 28.—The Detroit Falcons defeated the Chicago Black Hawks, 4 to 2, tonight in a National Hockey League game featured by a match penalty, a double major, a major and sixteen other penalties, along with some fist fights and a protested goal.

Arguments over Detroit's fourth goal sent Teddy Graham out of the game permanently and Cy Wentworth for ten minutes in the final period.

Line-Ups

Chicago—Gardiner; Wentworth, Boucher; Lowrey, Ingram, Thompson. Subs: Abel, Ripley, March, Couture, Graham, Gottselig, Shea, Holmes, Cook.

Detroit—Connell; Smith, Young; Cox, Carson, Emms. Subs: Sorrell, Lewis, Aurie, Kilrea, Goodfellow, Cooper, Smith.

Officials—Cooper Smeaton and Jack Cameron.

Summary

First Period—1, Chicago, Boucher (Thompson), 2:16; 2, Detroit, Cox (Carson), 3:19; 3, Detroit, Kilrea (Goodfellow), 6:43. Penalties: Gottselig, Aurie, Graham, Thompson, Goodfellow (major), Kilrea, Ripley.

Second Period—4, Chicago, March (Cook), 10:32. Penalties: Cook, Wentworth (2), Emms, Carson, Ripley, Boucher, Lewis, Lowrey.

Third Period—5, Detroit, Goodfellow (Aurie), 7:18; 6, Detroit, Kilrea (Goodfellow), 8:11. Penalties: Graham (match penalty), Wentworth (10 mins.), Cox.

YOUNG THOMPSON TAKES BEATING

Former Welterweight Champion Decisively Outpointed by Jimmy Evans

OAKLAND, Jan. 28 (AP).—Saved by the bell in the fourth round, and nearly out on his feet in the final session, Young Jack Thompson, twice holder of the welterweight championship, made an unimpressive debut as a middleweight here last night when he took a ten-round beating from Jimmy Evans, of Vallejo. The once great negro fighter took a terrific battering from his younger opponent. Several times only his ring generalship saved him from a trip to the canvas.

In the fourth round, Evans drove in a left hook to the body that floored Thompson, but the bell sounded after the count of seven.

Evans, a rough and rugged youngster, won seven rounds easily. Thompson rallied in two rounds, making his best showing in the seventh, when he smashed a right to the jaw and continued to punch Evans around the ring. The negro came back strong in the ninth again to win by a shade.

Thompson weighed in at 152 pounds, nine pounds over the weight he carried when he won and lost the welterweight title to Jackie Fields, lost it to Tommy Freeman and then regained it from Freeman. Evans weighed 154 pounds.

ELIMINATIONS ARE HELD AT "Y" POOL

G. Warren, G. Lee, A. Gaunt and G. Andrews were the survivors in the first eliminations of the Victoria High School swimming gala, to be held tomorrow evening at the Crystal Garden, held Wednesday afternoon at the Y.M.C.A. pool. Warren was top man with thirty-four plates in the elimination contest in his two dives, while Andrews was a close second with thirty-two. Lee and Gaunt were deadlocked for third place with thirty plates.

CHARITY GOLF MATCH TO BE HELD, FEB. 7

Black and Taylor to Meet Rimmer and Winder in Exhibition at Oak Bay

TWO ASSOCIATIONS TO SHARE PROCEEDS

Four of Western Canada's widely known golf professionals will gather at the Victoria Golf Club Sunday, February 7, to engage in a thirty-six-hole charity golf match, according to word received from officials of the Oak Bay club yesterday. The entire proceeds will be equally divided between the Solarium and the Women's Workroom fund. The quartette of salaried exponents is Jimmy Rimmer, Jasper Park club; Harry Winder, University club, Vancouver; Dave Black, Shaughnessy Heights, and Phil Taylor, pro at the Oak Bay course. Taylor and Black will play against Rimmer and Winder.

DAVE BLACK

With the proceeds going towards such a worthy cause, a large crowd of golfing fans is expected to trail the foursome over the thirty-six-hole exhibition. All are experts at shifting divots and some of the finest golf of the year should be the result over the well-bunkered sea-bordering Oak Bay layout.

FINE GOLFER

Jimmy Rimmer is well known in these parts, despite the fact that he has played little golf in British Columbia. At the present he is staying in the city with his wife and family on a month's vacation. He is rated as one of the finest professionals in Canada, having gained a place on the Canadian Ryder Cup team a few years ago. Last Summer he hung up a record on his home course which will stand some beating, going around the difficult course in the low 60's. His partner, Winder, is a first-class golfer. Winder played at the Uplands last year in the British Columbia Open championship and finished well up after a somewhat shaky start.

Anyone that has swung a golf club in the province has heard of Dave Black and Phil Taylor, a pair which has been teaming together in exhibition matches for the past ten years. They have played over the Oak Bay links against Barnes and Hutchison, Gene Sarazen and Abe Espinosa and other noted visiting golfers. Both know every blade of grass at Oak Bay and will be a hard pair to beat.

Taylor is present holder of the British Columbia Open championship and a former Pacific Northwest Open monarch, while Black has won the provincial honors several times, as well as the Canadian Open on numerous occasions.

Signor Autori, one of the foremost grand opera singers of Italy, has gained additional distinction by his drawings.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Tree That Swallowed a Mill Wheel—The famous Grito de Independencia was uttered by Carlos Manuel de Despedes on the site formerly occupied by a sugar mill at Demajague, Yara, Cuba, on October 10, 1868. After the mill was destroyed a centrifugal wheel of the mill was left lying on the site. Through the wire spokes of the wheel a jaguey tree (species of liana) grew, until it is now in the complete embrace of the wheel, permanently gripped by the tree.

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Former Champion Awarded Decision Over Brouillard

Los Angeles Fighter Regains Welter Crown He Lost Two Years Ago to Young Jack Thompson in Savage Ten-Round Bout at Chicago—Decision of Judges Unanimous

Over Ten Thousand Spectators Roar Approval Over Verdict

CHICAGO STADIUM, CHICAGO, Jan. 28 (AP).—They said they never come back, but Jackie Fields proved this popular theory was all wrong tonight. Fields, twenty-six-year-old Chicagoan, now making his home in Los Angeles, regained the world's welterweight championship he lost to Young Jack Thompson, Oakland, Cal., negro, two years ago, by defeating Lou Brouillard, rugged French-Canadian youth of Worcester, Mass., in a savage ten-round battle in the Chicago Stadium tonight.

Brouillard held the title just four months. He won it last October by blasting out a victory over Thompson, who conquered Fields.

The verdict of the two judges and the referee, Dave Miller, was unanimous. The decision was greeted with a roar of approval from the 10,255 spectators.

FIELDS IN GREAT SHAPE

Fields, trained to razor edge for the first time since he lost the championship, outboxed and outgeneraled the rugged southpaw titleholder. Fields started to catch up with Brouillard in the fourth round, and by the time the sixth had been finished had passed the champion in a flurry of speed that bewildered Brouillard.

Fields, punching sharply with both fists, was effective with right crosses to the chin and left hooks to the jaw and body. Brouillard relied chiefly upon his charging body attack, but Fields absorbed his punches like a champion, meanwhile moving ahead by scoring at long range.

FIELDS CONFIDENT

After this victorious onslaught, Fields, with his confidence bolstered, began to poke long sharp lefts into Brouillard's face, occasionally switching his attack to land a right uppercut to the jaw. Fields outscored the titleholder with his swift delivery of punches and shifty footwork.

In addition to being outboxed, Brouillard was unfortunate in suffering a severe gash over his right eye in the eighth round when the two bumped heads in a furious rush. Blood trickled into Brouillard's eye and down his cheek, impairing his vision, but he never backed up. As the ninth round opened, Brouillard walloped Fields on the body with rights and lefts.

Fields, however, shook off the fatigue and outfought the champion at the finish, cracking him with a right to the jaw to knock him back on his heels at the end.

Fields was happy in triumph when the verdict was announced, grinning like a school kid, and jumping up and down, while the squatty little French-Canadian, just five feet five inches tall, was heartbroken at losing his title in the first defence of it.

General John V. Clinnin, president of the National Boxing Association, jumped into the ring to award Fields a diamond-studded gold belt, emblematic of the world's welterweight championship.

SCOZZA DEFEATED

George Nichols, Buffalo contender for the light-heavyweight championship, conquered his fellow-citizen, Lou Scozza, in their ten-rounder.

Nichols knocked Scozza through the ropes with a left to the jaw in the second round, and then began to pile up a safe lead. Nichols weighed 164 to 171 1-2 for Scozza.

Billy Jones, Philadelphia negro aspirant to the 175-pound title, won the third bout of the tournament by decisively defeating Battling Bozo, of Birmingham, clown fighter, who did nothing but hold and slap. The fight was so one-sided that it was stopped in the ninth round with Bozo leaning over in a corner, his head resting on the top rope, with the Southerner making no effort to fight. Jones won every round easily.

Queen's Park and Motherwell Will Meet in Feature

Powerful Amateur Team and Scottish First Division Leaders Will Clash in Important Match—Celtic to Battle St. Johnstone

GLASGOW, Scotland, Jan. 28 (CP).—While the general run of matches in the second round of the Scottish Football Association Cup competition, to be played on Saturday, will likely not be productive of great struggles, one tie is outstanding. That is the engagement at Hampeden Park between Queen's Park and Motherwell. Queen's Park are the great amateur club of Scotland, while Motherwell are leading the Scottish First Division, and look to be headed for the championship. They were the runners-up in the Cup competition last season, being beaten by Celtic after a replay in the final. Queen's Park have given notice they are going to make a bold bid for the Cup this year, as they beat St. Mirren, a strong aggregation, in the first round.

The Cup-holders, Celtic, have not been going very strongly in league football lately, and may find their strong Second Division opponents, St. Johnstone, more than their match, particularly as the game is being played on the latter's grounds at Perth. Rangers, the league champions, and with Motherwell and Celtic, one of the strongest sides in Scotland, should win easily over Raith Rovers at Kirkaldy.

The full draw follows:

Bo'ness versus Partick Thistles.

Dunfermline versus Dundee.

Hamilton Academicals versus Armadale.

Kilmarnock versus Albion Rovers.

Queen's Park versus Motherwell.

Edinburgh City versus St. Bernards.

Airdrie versus King's Park.

Raith Rovers versus Rangers.

St. Johnstone versus Celtic.

Queen of South versus Dundee United.

Hearts versus Cowdenbeath.

Clyde versus Arbroath.

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Soccer matches played today in England resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Third Division—Southern Section

Northampton 2, Reading 4.

Queen's Park Rangers 2, Crystal Palace 2.

Coventry City 0, Brentford 1.

In a Rugby Union match Leicester beat the Royal Air Force by 14 points to 3.

Battalino Fined And Suspended by Cincinnati Dukes

CINCINNATI, Jan. 28.—A $5,000 fine and indefinite suspension was imposed by by the Cincinnati Boxing Commission on Christopher (Bat) Battalino, Hartford, Conn., featherweight, for his no-contest match with Freddie Milder, Cincinnati southpaw, here last night.

JONES BROTHERS TO FACE ROVERS

Strong Roller Squads to Meet Tonight in Important Game—Buds to Face Juniors

With both teams needing victory to keep them in the struggle for the second-half championship, Jones Brothers and Rovers will clash this evening at the King Rink in the senior division of the Victoria Roller Hockey League in one of the most important games on the schedule. In the opener, Rosebuds will face Cross Juniors in the intermediate league at 7:30 o'clock in another crucial fixture. Ernie Stock will referee both tussles.

Rovers stopped the mad dash of Burnetts last week, while Jones Brothers threw a wrench into the title aspirations of the Jokers a few days later. Partington will guard the net for the Rovers, and Pete Tyson and G. Farmer will play defence. Simmons, J. Carlow, B. Carlow, E. Moore and J. Blackstock will alternate on the forward line. Harry Holness will do goal duty for Jones Brothers, with Ed de Blacquiere and Albert Pellett in front of him. Barney Barnswell, Johnny Unwin, Rush and Tommy Drysdale will form the firing squad on the attack.

Rosebuds and Cross Juniors are expected to engage in a merry battle before the final whistle.

Junior Football Games Canceled Due to Grounds

Owing to the condition of the grounds, all fixtures carded tomorrow afternoon in the Victoria and District Junior Football League have been canceled by officials of the loop.

"I pulled this thistle up, mummy," said three-year-old Jimmy, who was helping with the gardening.

"Well, you are a strong little man."

"I think I must be," said Jimmy. "The whole world had hold of the other end."

PHAR LAP MAY RACE AGAINST BEST IN U.S.

Australian Wonder Horse May Compete Against Twenty Grand

SHOWING AT AGUA CALIENTE FACTOR

By ORLO ROBERTSON
Associated Press Sports Writer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—An international race, bringing together Phar Lap, the wonder horse from Australia, Twenty Grand and Mate, is in the making as the Australian champion prepares for his North American debut in the $10,000 special race at Agua Caliente, February 21.

David J. Davis, part owner of Phar Lap, is considering bringing him East for a crack at America's three-year-old co-champions of last year. Much depends, however, on Phar Lap's showing against Dr. Freeland, Plucky Play and Marine in the special race, and in the $50,000 Agua Caliente, March 20.

Being a gelding, Phar Lap is not eligible for the Saratoga Cup and the Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park, but Arlington Park, Chicago, offers three attractive purses for older horses during its July meeting. The three stakes—the Stars and Stripes, the Arlington Handicap and the Arlington Cup—each gross in excess of $20,000. The Fall meetings in Chicago and Maryland also are full of rich events in which Phar Lap could race.

Twenty Grand, now in Winter quarters at Mrs. Payne Whitney's Red Bank, N.J., farm, will make his 1932 debut in the Stars and Stripes, July 4. A. C. Bostwick has announced Mate will run in all of the important handicap events.

Phar Lap, meanwhile, faces strong opposition in the West.

Oarsmen to Hold Dance at J.B.A.A. Tomorrow Evening

With arrangements completed, everything is in readiness for the J.B.A.A. weekly dance and social to be held tomorrow evening at the club's headquarters at the Gorge. T. D. Roberts and his committee have outlined a fine programme of music for the function and a large number of members and their friends are expected to attend.

When Sullivan Had Them Talking - - - - - - By Ed Hughes

MRS. RICHARDSON AND MRS. LEEMING WIN PAR ROUNDS

Mrs. J. H. Richardson won the Class "A" monthly par competition, played at Royal Colwood Golf Club yesterday, finishing all square. Mrs. Leeming won the honors in Class "B," being 2 up.

In future, monthly medal and par competitions will be played on the second and fourth Fridays of each month instead of Thursdays.

GAINS AND McCORKINDALE BATTLE TO DRAW

Strong Elevens Will Battle in Cup Match Tomorrow Afternoon

Sanford to Guard Net for Royals in Province Trophy Fixture Here—Stoddart and Rimmer Doubtful Starters—Local Team Named

When the New Westminster Royals take the field against the Saanich Thistles tomorrow afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:15 o'clock in one of the first round proper matches in the Province Cup football series, they will have Aubrey Sanford, star goalie, performing between the sticks, according to word received from the Royal City camp yesterday. Starting line-ups for both squads were announced last night by the respective managers.

Although the visiting Canadian soccer champions will have their regular net custodian back in harness, it is doubtful if Haddie Stoddart and Les Rimmer, two of their sterling players, will be starters. Stoddart is suffering from an injured hip and a badly swollen arm, while Rimmer may find it impossible to get away, owing to business reasons.

Despite this, the Royals are coming over here with a well-balanced eleven, one which is strong in all departments. New Westminster is expected to line up with Sanford in goal, and Anderson and Preston, two smart backs, in front of him. Trotter, Russel and Delaney will form the half line. Kerr, Stobart, Coulter, Turner and Todd will do duty on the front rank. If Stoddart and Rimmer come along at the last minute, some changes may be made.

THISTLES LINE-UP

Tommy Bridges has been assigned to goal duty for the Thistles, with Sammy Essler and Wes Harper, two reliable and hard-working backs, in front of him. Ronnie Williams, Joe Crowe and Alex Speller form a strong intermediate trio. Eddie Viggers will patrol right wing, flanked by Fred Price on the inside position. Barney Burns will look after centre, and Fred Gibbons will play inside left and Armitage on the other wing. Nurse, Minnis and King will be the reserves.

BEAVERS SCORE ONE-SIDED WIN

Whitewash Hillcrest Squad by 15-0 Count in Badminton Loop—Saanichton Wins

Hillcrest No. 1 squad of badminton players took the worst drubbing of the season in the fourth division of the Lower Island League, Wednesday evening on their home courts, when they received a 15-0 whitewashing from the Hudson's Bay Beavers No. 1. Saanichton gathered in two more points in the third division by handing Christ Church an 11-5 setback at the Memorial Hall.

Scores of the Hillcrest-Beavers match, with the former players first mentioned, follow:

Women's Doubles

Miss Burton and Mrs. Peers lost to Mrs. Kidd and Miss Marconnini, 8-15.

Miss Burton and Mrs. Peers lost to Misses McAdam and Butterfield, 13-18.

Miss Brakes and Mrs. Smith lost to Misses McAdam and Butterfield, 12-15.

Miss Brakes and Mrs. Smith lost to Mrs. Kidd and Miss Marconnini, 4-14.

Men's Doubles

Chandler and Hobson lost to H. and D. Bleasedale, 10-15.

Chandler and Hobson lost to Stewart and Hanson, 4-15.

Hicks and Warder lost to H. and D. Bleasedale, 4-15.

Hicks and Warder lost to Stewart and Hanson, 2-15.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Burton and Chandler lost to Mrs. Kidd and H. Bleasedale, 9-15.

Miss Burton and Chandler lost to Miss Marconnini and Hanson, 5-15.

Mrs. Smith and Hobson lost to Mrs. Kidd and H. Bleasedale, 6-15.

Mrs. Smith and Hobson lost to Miss Marconnini and Hanson, 3-15.

Mrs. Peers and Hicks lost to Miss McAdam and D. Bleasedale, 10-15.

Mrs. Peers and Hicks lost to Miss Butterfield and Stewart, 5-15.

Miss Brakes and Warder lost to Miss McAdam and D. Bleasedale, 9-15.

Miss Brakes and Warder lost to Miss Butterfield and Stewart, 5-15.

Results follow, with the Christ Church players being named first:

Women's Doubles

Mrs. Simpson and Miss Fatt lost to Mrs. Carrier and Miss Hughes, 7-15.

Miss M. Simpson and Miss Biggs lost to Mrs. Carrier and Miss Hughes, 11-15.

Miss M. Simpson and Miss Biggs lost to Miss J. Bagley and Miss Philipsen, 6-15.

Mrs. Simpson and Miss Fatt lost to Miss J. Bagley and Miss Philipsen, 14-17.

Men's Doubles

Wallace and Connorton lost to R. Bagley and R. Watson, 6-15.

McQuade and Taylor lost to R. Bagley and R. Watson, 15-17.

McQuade and Taylor beat Carrier and B. Durrinberg, 15-6.

Wallace and Connorton beat Carrier and B. Durrinberg, 15-6.

Mixed Doubles

Wallace and Mrs. Simpson beat Miss M. Hughes and R. Bagley, 15-10.

Taylor and Miss Biggs lost to Miss M. Hughes and R. Bagley, 13-18.

Taylor and Miss Biggs beat Mr. and Mrs. Carrier, 18-14.

Wallace and Mrs. Simpson beat Mr. and Mrs. Carrier, 18-16.

Connorton and Miss Fatt lost to Miss J. Bagley and B. Durrinberg, 7-15.

McQuade and Mis M. Simpson lost to Miss J. Bagley and B. Durrinberg, 17-18.

McQuade and Miss M. Simpson lost to Miss M. Philipsen and R. Watson, 4-15.

Connorton and Miss Fatt lost to Miss M. Philipsen and R. Watson, 11-15.

Outboard Boats to Race for Open Title

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—A new outboard motorboat racing classic, a race for the unlimited outboard championship of the world, has been added to the list of annual racing features by the American Powerboat Association.

J. W. Shillan, prominent British outboard racer, who proposed the event, promised that at least two outstanding British pilots, probably Charles H. Harrison and Philip J. Turner, will come over for this year's race.

ROBIN REED WINS

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 28 (AP).—Robin Reed, world welterweight wrestling champion, defeated Milt Harnden, Bellingham, former champion, in the main event of a wrestling card here last night. Reed took the first and last fall in the fourth round with a series of rabbit punches and body smothers.

In the semi-final, "Terrible" Gerry, Tacoma, took two out of three falls to defeat Tom Ray, Seattle.

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BOWLING

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE
Section "A"

Peden Bros. — J. Wenger, 470; Base Peden, 452; C. Patterson, 498; R. Peden, 540; handicap, 147. Total, 2,133.

Imperial Oil—J. Rowe, 476; F. Morten, 536; H. Leason, 537; C. Hilton, 566; handicap, 159. Total 2,264.

Imperial Oil won two.

Lumberjacks—Moore, 457; McCarter, 399; Miller, 437; Welfort, 421; low score, 266; Kawes, 117; handicap, 324. Total, 2,423.

Island Window Cleaners—F. Smith, 518; G. Laird, 518; T. Cole, 438; J. Norrington, 419; E. Barnes, 420; handicap, 288. Total, 2,614.

Island Window Cleaners won three.

C.S. Restorer — H. Plowman, 395; W. Frangnell, 390; R. Predette, 541; D. Ackerman, 507; low score, 411; handicap, 96. Total, 2,244.

B.C. Telephone—A. Broadfoot, 430; J. Potts, 475; W. Smith, 418; H. Hornby, 468; W. Sturrock, 442; handicap, 300. Total, 3,553.

B.C. Telephone won two.

Northwestern Creamery—W. Butler, 452; N. H. Grant, 464; J. Sharp, 463; F. Norton, 454; R. Crawford, 385; handicap, 346. Total, 3,464.

Victoria Shoe Repairing—J. McLennan, 547; F. Young, 537; E. Newman, 524; A. Fripp, 470; G. Motion, 530; handicap, 84. Total, 2,657.

Victoria Shoe Repairing won three.

Broughton Street Service Station—L. C. Bennett, 389; Les Dash, 298; V. Baines, 540; R. Knott, 428; E. Stewart, 420; handicap, 258. Total, 2,331.

Shell Oil Co.—L. Moser, 422; W. E. Peters, 443; H. Austin, 370; R. Nicol, 427; R. W. Crooks, 479; handicap, 361. Total, 2,523.

Shell Oil Co. won three.

WOMEN'S COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

S.T.R.—M. Burley, 471; E. Warburton, 357; M. Seymour, 411; M. Cheer, 325; M. Rodger, 443. Total, 2,017.

Woolworth's—A. Newell, 558; E. Love, 422; A. Chesworth, 475; M. Janes, 463; M. Cessford, 603. Total, 2,521.

Woolworth's won three.

Dolan's—M Hutchison, 318; A. Ray, 317; I. Baines, 402; M. Bridgewood, 463; M. Sargent, 317. Total, 1,817.

Rainbows—N. Amres, 455; L. French, 416; L. Moss, 475; M. Shemill, 726; A. Glazan, 244. Total, 2,439.

Rainbows won three.

Hudson's Bay—R. Glass, 394; F. Watson, 434; A. Parey, 74; H. Bennett, 378; E. Baxter, 341; M. Reif, 283; A. McKay, 118. Total, 1,917.

Colonials—L. Hansen, 463; D. Hearn, 533; A. Ray, 477; I. Deakin, 358; C. Butler, 397. Total, 2,245.

Colonials won two.

Lucky Strikes — D. Tyrrell, 351; M. Tyrrell, 443; B. Neal, 470; Margaret Thomson, 311; Maye Thomson, 360. Total, 1,935.

Pantorium—E. Simpson, 526; M. Kinley, 385; L. Chesworth, 461; J. Morry, 385; J. Syme, 451. Total, 2,229.

Pantorium won two.

Happy Rollers—May Dindley, 463; Ivy McDowall, 557; Rena Watson, 464; Pearl Sundin, 447; Phyl Rawlings, 497. Total, 2,428.

Happy Rollers won three by default.

C.P.R. LADIES' FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Ever-Ready—Mrs. Kennedy, 355; Mrs. Plude, 461; Mrs. Stokes, 408; Mrs. Glanfield, 248; Mrs. Tebo, 373. Total, 1,878.

Headlights — Mrs. Wilson, 536; Mrs. Austin, 425; Mrs. Richmond, 535; Mrs. MacLachlan, 392; Mrs. Foster, 387. Total, 2,138.

Headlights won three.

Officites—Armistead, 323; Saunders, 353; Clarke, 371; Cole, 393; McLellan, 493. Total, 1,934.

Semaphores—E. Rance, 279; E. Ray, 405; M. Kennedy, 428; low score, 279; M. McMullen, 466. Total, 1,979.

Semaphores won two.

Cupola—N. Fell, 481; E. McDousall, 536; R. Hunter, 440; E. Spouse, 441; L. Hedley, 359. Total, 3,247.

Cupola won three by default.

COMMERCIAL TEN PIN LEAGUE
Section "B"

Colwood Weed—O. Beck, 459; D. Danes, 479; B. Tillyer, 466; A. Swaluk, 420; low score, 405; handicap, 144. Total, 2,375.

Scott & Peden—W. Peden, 481; E. Goodman, 419; H. Thompson, 385; E. Jones, 390; L. McClellan, 488; handicap, 306. Total, 2,427.

Scott & Peden won two.

B.C. Electric Railway—A. A. White, 469; R. Dewar, 480; W. Mowat, 459; J. Casey, 439; handicap, 129. Total, 1,884.

Victoria Druggists—P. V. Jenkin, 370; J. Riddell, 461; I. Moore, 502; A. Campbell, 353; handicap, 313. Total, 2,021.

Victoria Druggists won two.

Golden West Bakery—D. Newell, 479; I. Temple, 434; J. Bowcott, 400; E. Hanbury, 448; E Stock, 449; handicap, 429. Total, 2,630.

Olympic Juniors — P Welsh, 495; T. Gough, 506; R. Doherty, 519; W Shouldice, 503; A. Locie, 378; handicap, 186. Total, 2,786.

Olympic Juniors won two.

Kent Radio—J. King, 473; R. Wills, 457; E McKenzie, 435; handicap, 126. Total, 1,290.

Kent Radio won three from bye.

ARCADE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Scribes—Ted Fox, 603; S. McKelvie, 632; J. Delahunty, 588; A. Hawkins, 514; H. MacCallum, 573. Total, 2,908.

Eagles—W. Mitchell, 557; G. Foster, 539; H. MacDonald, 521; W. Espley, 505; J. Randall, 505. Total, 2,626.

Scribes won three.

Colonist Compos—H. Pickup, 554; H. Buckle, 579; D. Clarke, 513; C. Chislett, 529; W. Norris, 622. Total, 2,817.

Pall Mall—G. Mason, 595; W. Mills, 533; W. Cox, 553; J. Rains, 426; low score, 472. Total, 2,578.

Colonist Compos won three.

Victoria Photo—J. Hodgins, 643; A. Falk, 763; A. Porter, 647; G. Wilkinson, 639; A. Harness, 518. Total, 3,206.

Poodie Dog Cafe—C. Turner, 596; A. Martin, 575; low score, 456; F. Welsh, Jr., 563; S. Nelson, 532. Total, 2,690.

Victoria Photo won three.

Wildcats—C. Savage, 709; J. Howell, 608; J. McLennan, 606; W. Plater, 567; J. Quinn, 552. Total, 3,052.

Whisbangs—J. Huxtable, 629; G. Davies, 729; H. Clark, 566; W. Morry, 553; V. Scarborough, 564. Total, 3,041.

Wildcats won two.

LOCAL CAGERS WILL TRAVEL

Blue Ribbons to Journey to Vancouver to Meet Woodwards Tomorrow Night

Coach Alan Le Marquand and his Blue Ribbons, for the past four years senior city women's basketball champions, will journey to Vancouver tomorrow afternoon, when they will clash with Woodward's senior quintette in a return fixture at the Y.W.C.A. gymnasium in the evening. The Mainlanders took the measure of the local fair sex in the game here after a great tussle.

The outcome of the return attraction will be watched with great interest by local and Mainland fans, as there is a possibility that these two teams may meet in the final for the British Columbia championship later on in the season.

To date the Ribbons have tasted defeat twice, the first at the hands of the Vancouver quintette, and the second against Harmony by a lone point. Last season, Manager Bill Erickson guided the girls through to their third city championship, and the Island and senior "B" provincial laurels.

The following players will make the trip, besides the manager and coach: Berta Peden, Torie Rennie and Mary Peden, forwards; Mary Wilson, centre; Ruby Bethell, Biddy Boyce and Eleanor Trotter, guards.

Sunderland and Stoke Battle to Draw in Replay

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Stoke and Sunderland played to a one-goal draw today in their replayed match from the fourth round of the English Football Association Cup competition. Extra time was played in an effort to break the deadlock.

BILLIARDS

With F. Grimes gaining an eighty-two point lead in the opening match over T. Southern, Britannia's cue squad scored a 742-688 victory over the Veterans of France, Wednesday evening in the "B" division of the Interservice Billiard League. Scores follow:

Vets of France		Britannia Branch	
T. Southern	113	F. Grimes	200
R. C. Pembridge	200	J Watt	154
C. Crawford ...	170	S. Dyke	200
H. McLuckie ..	206	F. Burbridge ...	188
Total	689	Total	742

KAPLAN PINS YOKEL

PORTLAND, Jan. 28 (AP).—Abe Kaplan, 196-pound grappler of New York City, took two out of three falls from Mike Yokel, veteran matman of Salt Lake City, here last night.

Yokel took the first fall in nine minutes and Kaplan the second in thirty-two minutes. Kaplan won the third in five minutes.

Al. Karasick, Portland, won from Stan Buresch, Omaha, in the preliminary. Each weighed 180 pounds.

LEVINSKY TO TAKE ON MAX BAER TONIGHT

Kingfish and Californian to Meet in Ten-Round Bout at New York

SOUTHERNER RULES SLIGHT FAVORITE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Madison Square Garden has rigged up something tangible for King Levinsky and Max Baer to quarrel over in their ten-round heavyweight bout tomorrow night. The winner, Promoter Jimmy Johnston has decided, automatically will become chief deputy-alternate for the Schmeling-Sharkey affair next June.

Just why Johnston feels he will need an alternate has not been made clear.

Next week Paulino Uzcudun and Ernie Schaaf will clash in another battle of the alternates, the winner to meet the victor in tomorrow's fray. Then the survivor probably will mix it with young Steve Hamas. The Garden by that time will have a fairly definite idea whom to throw into the breach in the event either Sharkey or Schmeling breaks an arm at the last minute.

Despite a disappointing showing in two previous appearances here last Winter, Baer has been established a slight favorite over the Kingfish tomorrow night. Expected to scale 215 pounds, the Californian will pack a weight advantage of some twenty pounds.

NORWEGIAN SKI TEAM IMPRESSES

Seven Jumpers Better Hill Record at Lake Placid in Workouts

POLISH AND SWISS SQUADS PRACTISING

LAKE PLACID, N.Y., Jan. 28.—The Norwegian ski jumpers were the talk of this Winter Olympics headquarters today, despite another turn in the weather that forced postponement of the North American bobsled races until Saturday.

The athletes of the other nations had reason to talk about the seven Norwegian jumpers. They went out yesterday for their first practice on the Olympic jump—and every man of them equalled or broke the hill record of 198 feet.

They had no opportunity to show what they might do after testing the jump, as the soft snow which caused the delay in the bobsled races also grounded the ski jumpers. However, their brief effort was enough to convince the other athletes that the Norwegians were all they were reputed to be—the team to beat in the games starting February 4.

The slow snow yesterday kept most of the ski runners idle, but Poland's team maintained their schedule. They are covering ten miles one day and twenty the next.

The Swiss group was completed yesterday. The United States ski jumpers also arrived. The six men have been training at Canton, S.D.

BONERS

During the war all suspects were interred.

BONERS are actual humorous tid-bits found in examination papers, essays, etc., by teachers.

Four methods of locomotion for an animal are backward, forward, sideways and up and down.

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When a person does not take an anesthetic before an operation they remain conscientious.

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A compound is a comical combination of two or more elements.

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Please correct my name as I could not and would not go under a consumed name.

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Both sides of our parents are old and poor.

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Ivanhoe is the Russian farmer who started the five-year plan.

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Government protects a state from the resurrection of hostile people.

Canadian Champion And South African Put Up Furious Go

Fifteen-Round Bout to Decide British Empire Heavyweight Championship at London Ends in Draw—Principals Use All Their Power in Order to Score Knockout

Many Notables Among Huge Crowd

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Larry Gains, Canadian negro, and Dan McCorkindale, South African champion, fought fifteen rounds to a draw at Albert Hall, tonight, in a bout which was to have decided the heavyweight boxing championship of the British Empire.

A cheering crowd, numbering among its members Lord Lonsdale and Lord Tweedmouth, greeted the two men as they entered the ring. It was decided the fight should go fifteen rounds instead of twelve, in order to comply with conditions set by the British Boxing Board's condition for championship bouts.

After a cautious start, both fighters strove to score a knockout, slugging harder and harder as the rounds progressed. They were able to make little impression on each other, however, and the final gong found them still hammering away in the middle of the ring.

In the second round Gains drove two straight lefts, then a hard left to the head. Gains had the advantage, but inflicted little damage on his opponent. Gains opened the third with a crashing right to McCorkindale's ribs.

Dan staggered the Canadian with a terrific right to the jaw in the sixth and Gains followed with a similar blow.

GAINS ROCKS OPPONENT

Gains' blows lacked sting as the eighth opened, but towards the end of the round he drove a left to McCorkindale's jaw that shook the big South African.

Larry drove three successive lefts to the jaw in the ninth and opened the eleventh with a rush, fighting with both hands. He tired, however, and Dan drove him into retreat.

The twelfth was the best round for McCorkindale, who waded in with smashing lefts to the face followed by a hard right to the jaw, and a volley of lefts and rights to the body.

LARRY GAINS

Both fought savagely throughout the thirteenth and fourteenth, trying their utmost to end the battle with a knockout.

There was little to choose between them in the fifteenth as they drove each other from corner to corner.

NANAIMO DEFEATS VICTORIA BOWLERS IN FRIENDLY MATCH

NANAIMO, Jan. 28.—On the local bowling alleys last evening, the Davenport took all three games from the visiting Victoria Huskies. Ernie Sedola, of Davenports, was high scorer with 276 and high average with 240. Total scores: Davenport 3,242, Victoria 2,874.

In the women's match, Pals took all three games from the Victoria visitors. Mrs. Hume, of Pals, was high score with 292 and high average with 194.

Nanaimo Motor won two out of three games from Philpott's Cafe, with W. E. Philpott high score with 327 and high average with 209.

Davenport will play Huskies at Victoria on February 5.

Windsor Race Track Declared Bankrupt

TORONTO, Jan. 28. — Western Racing Association, Limited, which operates Devonshire Park race course at Windsor, Ont., has been adjudged bankrupt. The Trust & Guarantee Company has been appointed custodian. A Pfeffer, Detroit, holds claims of $218,000 against the association.

A. A. WARDER IS 1932 CHAIRMAN

Appointed Head of Esquimalt School Board at Inaugural Meeting

Trustee A. A. Warder was elected chairman of the Esquimalt School Board at the first meeting of the board held in the board room at Lampson Street School last night, succeeding Alexander Lockley, whose recent illness made it unwise for him to continue as the active head of that important body.

Trustee Mrs. Sarah King was nominated for the post, but declined to accept the honor for private reasons. Mrs. King is a valued member of the school administrative body and takes a keen interest in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the ratepayers and to the pupils. In declining the office she stated she would give whole-hearted support to the 1932 chairman.

Trustee Warder, in assuming the chair, thanked the members for the honor accorded him, and promised to carry out his duties in the best interests of the community. Trustee Warder intimated that he would follow out his pre-election programme of economy without injuring the efficiency of the school system.

Trustee Lockley said that his illness would somewhat curtail his activities for a few months yet, but promised to give as much attention to the work of the board as his health would permit.

MacTavish was very shy. When he went to his first dinner party he made frantic efforts to begin a conversation with the woman at his elbow, but it wasn't until a full ten minutes had passed that he managed to utter the opening words: "Does your brother like cheese?"

She turned with a smile and replied: "I haven't a brother."

Dead silence for another spell.

Then he said: "If you had a brother, do you think he'd—he'd like cheese?"

FINNISH SKATING CHAMP SUSPENDED

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Jan. 28 (AP).—Claus Thunberg, Finland's Olympic world champion speed skater, today was disqualified for a year by the Finnish Skating Union for his refusal to go to Lake Placid for the Olympics and his "repeated unsporting actions tending to injure the sport of skating."

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CHEMAINUS SENIORS DEFEAT LADYSMITH IN EASY FASHION

LADYSMITH, Jan. 28. — Chemainus Seniors trounced Ladysmith Gloombusters, 38-17, in a basketball fixture last night in the Agricultural Hall here. The game was a mediocre one, Nimmo and Jones of the visitors' team piling up an overwhelming score against the locals. Teams:

Chemainus—Devitt (4), Hamilton (4), Nimmo (16), Inkster (3), Murray (2), Jones (9), Maginnis and Hawthornthwaite.

Ladysmith — A. Radford (2), Hulme (2), Miller (4), Currie (2), Hill (2) and J. Radford.

Chemainus and Ladysmith High School girls battled in a fairly even game, the locals losing out, 26-20.

The game between the Jazzers and the Aces was the thriller of the night, and provided lots of excitement. Jazzers emerged winners by 17-16.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Security Prices Drift Lower at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Stocks all swayed uncertainly today, trying to make the best of inconclusive news. Late selling of the rails unsettled the general list which had been steadying after a dull day around the noon hour. Trading in the forenoon proceeded at the slowest pace of the past several months, but activity then picked up and sales for the day amounted to 1,287,342 shares.

Net losses were moderate, averaging just under a point for the ninety issues used in the averages, some rails, notably New York Central, Union Pacific, Santa Fe and Southern Pacific were down a point or more. American Telephone was still heavy, off 2 5-8 at the worst and 1 3-4 net. Auburn sagged 4.

Attention was focused on Bethlehem Steel because of its directors' meeting late in the day. This steel issue dropped to a new low, anticipating the dividend omission which was hardly a surprise to Wall Street. The preferred, active for the first time this week, lost six and then rallied a point.

U.S. Steel went half a point under Wednesday's low and closed with a major fractional loss. General Motors was soggy.

Strength in United States Government securities was the only ray of sunshine in today's bond market.

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(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
ELECTRICAL AND MANUFACTURING			
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	13	..	12
Elec. Auto Lite	38	37-2	25
General Electric	20-6	30	20-4
Westinghouse El.	25	24	24-5
Elec. Bond & Shares	11-3	10-6	10-7
MISCELLANEOUS AND MANUFACTURING			
Amn. Can Co.	60-2	59	59-5
Amn. Ice	14-0	14-4	14-4
Bendix	16-2	15	16
Case Threshing	39	35-6	36-2
Congoleum-Nairn	9	..	9
Continental Can	36	35-5	36
Curtiss-Wright	1-4	..	1-4
Dupont de Nemours	50-7	49-4	49-7
Eastman Kodak	81-3	79-6	80-3
Gillette	12-4	12-3	12-3
Gold Dust	19-4	16-3	16-3
Intl. Harvester	25	24-6	25
Natl. Cash Register	8-1	..	9-1
Natl. Lead	88-3	..	86-3
Nor Ama Av	3-3	3	3
Pullman	22-6	21-0	31-6
Radio Corpn. of Amn.	7-3	7	7-2
Remington-Rand	2-6	..	2-6
United Aircraft	14-3	13-5	14
Worthington Pump	19-5	18-6	19-2
RAILS			
Allegheny Corpn.	2-0	2-5	2-0
Atchison	86-6	84-4	85-5
Atlantic Coast	36	..	36
Baltimore & Ohio	19-5	18	19
Canadian Pacific	14-7	14-4	14-7
Ches. & Ohio	28-7	27-0	28-2
Chicago & Northwest	11-2	10-5	11
Chicago Gt. West	4	3-7	4
C., M. & St. Paul	3	..	3
Chicago Rock Island	15	14-1	15
Del. & Hudson	80	78-4	78-4
Del., Lack. & West.	24-3	24	24-3
Gt. Northern pfd.	22	21-1	21-2
Ill. Central	15-4	15-5	15-5
Louis. & Nash	26-4	..	26-4
Mo., K. & Tex.	7-2	7	7-2
Missouri Pacific	9-7	8-0	8-7
Missouri Pac. pfd.	34-7	33	33
N.Y. Central	32-5	31-3	31-4
N.Y., New Haven & H.	28-7	28	28 7
Norfolk & West	135	..	125
Northern Pacific	22	20-7	20-7
Pennsylvania R.R.	22-1	21-3	21-5
Reading	36-4	..	36-4
St. Louis San Fran.	6	..	6
Southern Pacific	35-2	33-4	34
Southern Ry.	11-7	11-4	11-4
Union Pacific	78-4	75-5	76
Wabash	3-6	2-4	3-4
STEEL AND IRON			
Amn. Car & Foundry	7-7	..	7-7
Amn. Locomotive	8	7-6	7-8
Amn. Steel Fdy.	7	6-6	6-8
Baldwin Loco	7	6-6	7
Bethlehem Steel	17-4	15	16-2
Byers (AM) Co.	13-1	13-6	12-0
Crucible Steel	16-1	..	16-1
Gen. Ry. Signal	33-4	33	33
General Tank	20	..	20
Lima Loco	15-3	..	15-3
Rep. Iron & Steel	5-1	5	5
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	14-1	13-7	13-7
U.S. Steel	38-3	37	37-7
Vanadium	13-2	13	12
AUTOMOBILE AND ACCESSORIES			
Auburn	140-4	126	136-4
Briggs	8-4	..	8-4
Checkar Cab	5-5	..	5-5
Chrysler	13-3	13	13-3
General Motor	21-3	20-4	20-5
Hupp.	4-1	..	4-1
Mack Truck	13-3	13-1	13-2
Nash	17-3	17-2	17-3
Packard	4-7	4-8	4-7
Stewart-Warner	5-1	..	5-1
Timken Roller	18-3	..	18-3
Yellow Truck	4	3-7	3-7
TIRES AND RUBBER			
Goodrich	4-2	..	4-3
U.S. Rubber	4-1	4	4
PUBLIC UTILITY			
Amn. Foreign Power	7-2	7	7-1
Amn. Power & Lt.	14-1	14	14
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	115-4	112-2	113-2
Amn. Waterworks	37-3	..	37-3
Brook. Man.	29-5	27-7	38-3
Columbia Gas	12-4	12-6	13-0
Consol Gas, N.Y.	80-2	58-5	58-5
Elec. Power & Lite	11-5	11	11
Inter. Tel. & Tel.	9-3	8-1	9-3
North American	33-6	31-7	21-7
Pacific Gas & Elec.	33-6	33-3	33-3
So. Cal. Edison	30-1	30	30
Stand. Gas & Elec.	28-3	27-3	26-3
Stone & Webster	11-1	..	11-1
United Corpn.	8-7	8-4	8-6
Util. Power & Lt. "A"	9-2	..	9-2
Western Union	39-5	27-3	27-4
Pub. Service	53-2	52-3	53
FOOD PRODUCTS			
Borden Co.	28-7	29-1	26-2
Canada Dry	12	..	12
Coca Cola	108	105-7	106-6
Corn Products	40-5	40-4	40-4
Cuban Amn. Sugar	1-5	..	1-5
Gen. Foods	24-0	22-6	24
Gt. West Sugar	5-1	..	5-1
National Biscuit	41	..	41
Natl. Dairy Prod.	23-6	22-3	23-4
Safeway Stores	46-2	..	45-2
Standard Brands	13-3	12-7	13
United Fruit	22-6	22-3	22-4
APPAREL			
Natl. Bella Hess	0-4	..	0-4
Real Silk Hosiery	3-3	..	3-2
RETAIL TRADE			
Drug, Inc.	51-4	51	51-2
S. S. Kresge Co.	16-6	16-3	16-5
Kruger Toll	9-7	8-2	8-2
Montgomery Ward	8-4	8-1	9-1
Sears Roebuck	32-3	31-7	31-7
Schulte Retail	3-3	3	3-2
F. W. Woolworth	43	41	41-3
Kroger	14	13	14
TOBACCOS			
Amn. Tobacco "B"	78-2	76-4	76-4
Liggett Meyers "B"	56-6	55-2	55-4
Lorillard	14-7	14	14-1
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	28-6	28	28-4
Tobacco Prod. "B"	4-1	3-5	4
United Stores "A"	2	..	3
MISCELLANEOUS			
Contl. Shares	0-5	..	0-5
Fox Film "A"	3-7	3-6	3-7
Gen. Asphalt	14	..	14
Intl. Match pfd.	21-0	20-7	20-7
Johns-Manville	18-6	17-7	18-2
Loews	27-4	26-4	27-4
Paramount Famous	9-3	8-6	9
Radio-Keith-Orph.	5-4	5-2	5-3
Texas Pac. Land	4-7	..	4-7
Trans America	3	2-7	3
Warner Bros.	3-1	2	2
Comw. & Southern	4-1	4	4
Amn. Intl.	5-3	..	5-3
CHEMICAL			
Air Reduction	49-3	49	49
Allied Chemical	98-0	87	67-6
Columbia Carbon	32-5	22	22-6
Com. Solvents	7-4	7-3	7-3
Davison Chem.	4-2	..	4-2
Freeport Texas	17-6	17-2	17-5
Lambert	50	49-1	49-2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	23-4	23	23
Union Carbide	30	28-5	29-3
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	25-2	22	24-2
Va. Car Cham.	0-5	..	0-5
OIL AND REFINING			
Amerada	12-3	..	12-2
Atlantic Ref.	8-5	8-4	9-4
Barnsdall	4-5	4-3	4-2
Contl. Oil	9	5-7	9
Houston Oil	19	..	19
Phillips Petro	4-7	4-6	4-8
Prairie Pipe	7-1	7	7
Pure Oil	4-3	4-3	4-2
Royal Dutch	16-1	16	16-1
Shell Union Oil	3-4	3-2	3-4
Sinclair Cons. Oil	5-3	5-1	5-1
Stand. Oil, Cal.	33-3	33-1	23-1
Stand. Oil, N.J.	36-3	35-5	35-0
Socony	9-5	9-3	9-2
Texas Corpn.	11-4	11-3	11-4
Union Oil, Cal.	12-3	11-7	12
MINING AND SMELTING			
Alaska Juneau	15	14-4	15
Amn. Metal	5-4	..	5-4
Amn. Smelting	15-2	14-5	14-5
Anaconda Copper	10-1	9-5	9-7
Calumet Hecla	3-0	2-2	3-2
Cerro De Pasco	11-4	..	11-4
Dome	8-7	..	8-7
Howe Sound	12	..	12
Intl. Nickel	8-1	8	8-1
Kennecott	10-4	10-2	10-3
Magma Copper	7-4	..	7-4
McKeesport Tin	48-1	46-4	48
Nevada Cons.	5-3	5	5-1
Noranda	13-7	..	13-7
U.S. Smelting	15-8	..	15-8

Foreign Bonds

(Logan & Bryan)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 6's, 1957	54	54½
Antioquia 7's, 1945	13	15
Australia 5's, 1955	55	55
Arg. 6's, 1959	54	54½
Amb. 7's, 1946	..	30½
Austrian 7's, 1943	85	94½
Belgium 6's, 1955	62	82¾
Berlin 6's, 1958	33	34
Berlin City El. 6½'s, 1951	35½	41
Berlin City El. 5½'s, 1955	53	55
Bolivia 6's, 1947	..	9¾
Bogota 8's, 1945	19	21
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	31	21½
Buenos Aires 6½'s, 1961	30	32
Buenos Aires 6½'s, 1955	43¾	49½
Canada 5's, 1952	88½	89¾
Canadian Nat'l 4½'s, 1951	76¾	77½
Canadian Nat'l 7's, 1935	99¾	100
Canadian Nat'l 4½'s, 1956	74½	76
Canadian Northern 7's, 1940	95	95½
Chile 6's, 1960	13½	13½
Chile 7's, 1942	14½	21
Costa Rica 7's, 1951	25	33
Chile Mtge. Bank 6's, 1961	12½	14¾
Columbia 6's, 1961	27½	35½
Col. Mtge. Bank 7's, 1949	17	35
Denmark 5½'s, 1955	70¼	84¼
French 7's, 1949	109¾	110½
French 7½'s, 1941	111½	111¾
German 5½'s, 1965	35¼	37
German 7's, 1949	51½	62
Great Cons. El. Pwr. 7's, 1944	68	70
Irish Free State 5's, 1960	71¼	100
Japan 5½'s, 1965	71½	71½
Japan 6½'s, 1954	84	84½
Netherlands 6's, 1972 "A"	102	103½
Netherlands 6's, 1972 "B"	102¾	104
New South Wales 5's, 1957	50½	51½
Norway 5½'s, 1965	60	70
Oriental Dev. 5½'s, 1958	85½	90
Peru 6's, 1960	6½	7
Peru 7's, 1959	11½	12¾
Poland 6's, 1950	53	54½
Queensland 7's, 1941	70	74
Rio de Janeiro 6½'s, 1952	11	11¾
Rhine West 6's, 1952	39½	39⅞
Rhine West 6's, 1955	28¾	40
San Paulo City 6's, 1952	23	30
San Paulo St. 6's, 1969	14	14¼
San Paulo St. 7's, 1940	59½	91¾
Sweden 5½'s, 1954	85½	90
Swiss 5½'s, 1946	102	102¾
United Kingdom 5½'s, 1937	95¼	95½
Uruguay 6's, 1960	30	34½
Uruguay 6's, 1946	41	42

Money Markets

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Money, 3 3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 1-2 to 5 1-4 per cent; three-month bills, 4 7-8 to 5 3-4 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Call money, 2 1-2 per cent, all day. Time loans steady; sixty days, 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent; month, 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent. Prime commercial paper, 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP). — Foreign exchanges firm.
France—Demand 3.93 11-16; cables 3.93¾.
Italy—Demand 5.01½; cables 5.02.
Demand:
Belgium—13.93.
Germany—23.94.
Holland—40.24½.
Norway—18.64.
Sweden—19.30.
Denmark—19.14.
Switzerland—19.51.
Spain—8.33.
Portugal—2.19.
Greece—1.35¾.
Poland—11.20.
Czechoslovakia—3.99½.
Jugoslavia—1.79.
Austria—13.99.
Rumania—.59¾.
Argentina—36.72.
Brazil—6.21½.
Uruguay—48.00.
Tokio—35.70.
Shanghai—32.93½.
Montreal—86.79.
Mexico City (silver peso)—39.35.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP). — Demand 3.46¾; cables 3.46¾; sixty-day bills 3.42.

WHEAT PRICES REMAIN STEADY

Trend Is Weaker With Dull Trading at Winnipeg Market

WINNIPEG, Jan. 28 (CP).—Wheat prices moved sluggishly throughout a dull and featureless session on the grain market here today, closing quotations being unchanged to 1-8 lower than yesterday's finish. Little news of interest appeared, trading volume being extremely light.

May closed at 61 3-4, unchanged from the previous close; July 1-8 lower to unchanged at 62 7-8 to 63, and October 1-8 lower at 64 3-8. The business done was mostly local, no outside interest entering the pit.

Some export business was said to have been worked out of Vancouver, but Atlantic ports continued to report entire lack of shipments. European advices indicated no demand for foreign wheat of any description was apparent.

Cash grain trading continued slow, and spreads were unchanged. Trading in coarse grains also was light with futures closing unchanged.

(Logan & Bryan)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	61⅛	63¼	61⅛	61¾
Oct.	62¼	64⅞	64⅛	64⅜
July	62¾	63⅜	63⅜	62⅞
Oats—				
May	31⅜	32	31⅜	31⅞
Rye—				
July	47	47¼	46⅞	46⅞
May	46⅞	48	45⅝	45⅞
Barley—				
May	39¾	39⅞	39¾	39¾
Flax—				
Max	102½	102¾	102½	102½

CASH GRAIN

Wheat—1 Hard, 60; 1 Nor., 59¼; 2, 54¾; 3, 50⅝; 4, 47⅜; 5, 44; 6, 41; feed, 39; track, 59¼; 1 AD, 92⅝; 2, 74⅜; 3, 64⅝; 4, 51 ¾.

Oats—2 CW, 36⅞; 2 CW, 35⅝; 3 CW, 25⅝; extra 1 feed, 35⅝; 1 feed, 24⅞; 2 feed, 23⅝; rejected, 17⅝; track, 28⅞.

Rye—1 CW, 43⅞; 2 CW, 43⅞; 3 CW, 40⅞; rejected 3 CW, 39⅝; track, 42⅞; rejected, 27⅝.

Barley—3 ROW, 39¼; 6 ROW, 39⅜; 3 CW, 36⅜; 4 CW, 24½; 5 CW, 33⅜; 9 CW, 21¼.

Flax—1 NWC, 98½; 2 CW, 94½; 3 CW, 74½; rejected, 74½; track, 98½.

New York Curb

(Logan & Bryan)

Amn. Cyanamid "B"	3⅛
Electric Bond & Share	10⅞
International Petroleum	9⅝
Ind Terr Illum Oil "A"	4⅝
Hiram Walker	2⅝
Memphis Nat'l Gas	4⅝
Amn. Gas & Elec.	3½
Amn. City Light & Power "B"	1⅛
Can. Marconi	0⅞
Ford of Canada	11⅛
Hecla Mining	5⅝
International Utilities "B"	1⅛
Standard Oil of Indiana	15⅛
United Founders	1⅛
Anm. Superpower	3½
Arkansas Nat'l Gas "A"	2½
Deforest	1
Ford of England	5⅝
Imperial Oil of Canada "C"	9½
Newmont Mining	11
Standard Oil of Kentucky	13½
Niles Bemont Pond	7½
Utilities Light & Power, new "A"	6⅝
Detroit Aircraft	3-16
Arkansas Natural Gas	2¼
Central States Elec.	1⅛
Humble Oil	42⅝
Niagara Hudson Power	6½
Pioneer	2¾
Translux	1⅛
Associated Gas & Elec. "A"	4
Cities Service	5⅝
Stutz Motors	13⅛
United Gas of Texas	2

BANK CLEARINGS

WINNIPEG, Jan. 28 (CP).—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion for the week ending January 28:

	1932	1931
Halifax	$ 3,102,670	$2,636,542
Saint John	1,727,557	2,093,462
Moncton	909,645	860,233
Sherbrooke	518,001	982,950
Quebec	3,873,851	4,266,523
Ottawa	4,668,229	4,588,433
Montreal	85,260,572	106,043,395
Peterboro	463,854	654,653
Toronto	69,197,806	83,156,248
Hamilton	3,301,649	4,217,415
Kitchener	772,198	1,001,235
Brantford	824,680	838,515
London	2,225,361	2,311,507
Windsor	1,831,286	2,728,330
Chatham	419,248	592,878
Sarnia	306,971	425,327
Sudbury	472,850	662,783
Fort William	366,891	462,972
Winnipeg	22,746,456	25,931,754
Brandon	295,804	244,294
Moose Jaw	810,270	624,113
Regina	2,612,252	2,853,625
Saskatoon	1,107,080	1,287,711
Prince Albert	239,908	263,073
Edmonton	2,256,548	9,906,052
Calgary	4,475,663	8,906,052
Medicine Hat	180,024	174,169
Lethbridge	275,136	240,254
New Westminster	412,080	553,093
Vancouver	13,448,329	14,738,764
Victoria	1,227,409	1,812,927

DOMINION BONDS AND WAR LOAN SECURITIES

(Burns & Wainwright)

	Bid	Asked
Dominion 5½%, 1932	99.975	100.50
Dominion 5½%, 1933	100.375	100.875
Dominion 5½%, 1934	99.35	99.875
Dominion 5%, 1937	104.879	106.975
Dominion 5½%, 1937	104.125	106.126
Dominion 5%, 1943	94.975	99.125
Dominion 4½%, 1940	91.270	92.275
Dominion 4½%, 1944	89.375	90.375
Dominion 4½%, 1949	86.376	90.275
Conv. Loan 4½%, 1958	87.639	88.375
Conv. Loan 4½%, 1957	87.675	88.879
Conv. Loan 4½%, 1958	89.120	90.125
Conv. Loan 4½%, 1958	89.125	90.135
C.N.R. 4½%, 1951	87.975	89.125
C.N.R. 4½%, 1958	87.275	86.625
C.N.R. 4½%, 1957	87.375	88.625
C.N.R. 4½%, 1963	86.379	89.125
C.N.R. 5%, 1964	91.625	92.875
C.N.R. 5%, 1969	83.379	84.625
C.N.R. 5%, 1970	83.375	94.375
C.N.R. 4½%, 1955	90.125	91.125
Natl. Serv. Loan 5%, 1934	..	98.275
Natl. Serv. Loan 5%, 1941	..	96.50

All prices subject to 35c per $100 brokerage either way.

MINE LEADERS CONTINUE FIRM

Bridge River and Lorne Feature Activity at Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Heavy trading in Fabyan Pete and two of the mines leaders, failed to extend to the remainder of the list, and as a result, active issues inclined to an easier tendency at the close of trading on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today.

Fabyan, with a turnover of 56,200 shares, was off a fraction at 1 1-2. The two most active mines, Bridge River Consolidated and Lorne Gold, sold at firm prices, but the former eased off 1-4 to 11 3-4 at the close, while Lorne was unchanged at 17 1-4.

Pioneer, with only one odd lot transaction recorded, lost 10 to 3.30, while Premier was off 1 at 62.

Other active issues closed unchanged to slightly lower.

MORNING SALES

Oils

C. & E. Corp.—100 at .23.
Babyan Pete.—20,000 at 1@; 23,000 at 1¾; 22 at 2.
Home Oil—75 at .38; 100 at .37.

Listed Mines

Cotton Belt—500 at .06.
Georgia River—5,000 at 3.
Pioneer—100 at 3.40.
Premier Border—1,000 at 1.
Premier Gold—100 at .62; 500 at .63; 200 at .64.
Rengo Gold—1,500 at .29.

Unlisted Mines

Bridge River Co.—5,000 at .14¼; 100 at .12½; 4,000 at .13½ (B60).
Lorna Gold—3,000 at .17¼; 500 at .17½; 1,000 at .17½ (B60); 2,000 at .17¾ (B60); 100 at .15.

AFTERNOON SALES

Listed Oils

Fabyan Pete—10,000 at .01⅝; 6,000 at .01¾.
Hargal—300 at .06.
Mercury—1,200 at .08.

Listed Mines

Reno Gold—1,000 at .29.

Unlisted Mines

Bridge River Con.—3,500 at .12.
Lorne Gold—1,000 at .17½.

Industrials

B.C. Electric, preferred—5 at 96.00.
B.C. Power "A"—10 at 23.70.
C.P.R.—100 at 17.00.

Montreal-Toronto Stock Quotations

(All Fractions in Eighths)
(Logan & Bryan)

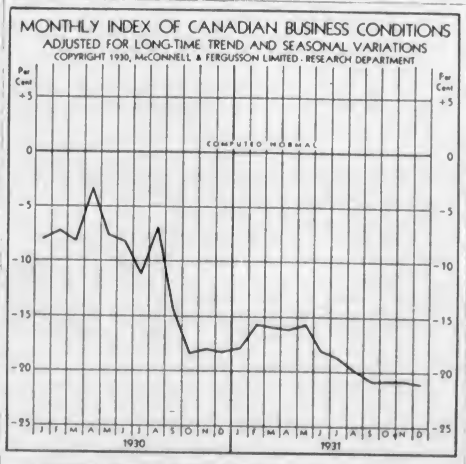
	High	Low	Bid
Abitibi Power	..	..	2-4
Alberta Pacific	..	..	5-2
Asbestos	..	..	20
Bell Telephone	..	..	119
B.C. Packing	..	(asked)	1-2
B.C. Power "A"	..	..	24
B.C. Power "B"	..	..	6-3
Can. Car Fdy.	..	..	8-6
Can. Cement	..	..	6
Can. Gypsum	..	(asked)	5
Can. Power	..	..	1-2
C.P.R.	17-2	17	17
Can. Steamers	..	(asked)	2
Cockshutt Plow	..	..	4-5
Cons. M. & S.	..	..	57
Fraser Cos.	..	..	1
General Steel Wares	..	..	2
Intl. Nickel	9-4	9-2	9-2
Lake of Woods	..	..	7
Massey-Harris	..	..	3 4
Montreal Power	..	..	36
Natl. Steel Car	..	..	10
Shawinigan	..	..	33
Steel of Can.	..	..	20
Winnipeg Elec.	..	..	6-3
CURBS			
Ass'd Breweries	..	..	5-5
B.A. Oil	10-3	10	10-3
Distillers-Seagram	..	(asked)	7
Dryden Paper	..	..	1
Imperial Oil	10	9-1	10
Impl. Tob., Can.	5	7-7	5
Intl Petrol	..	..	11-2
McColl Frontenac	10	9-7	9-7
Noranda	..	..	15 75
Page Hersey	..	..	61-6
Walker-Good	..	..	2
UTILITIES			
Intl. Util. "A"	..	..	7-4
MISCELLANEOUS			
Canada Gypsum	..	(asked)	5

BANKS

	Low
Commerce	191
Dominion	194
Imperial	193
Montreal	225
Nova Scotia	274
Royal	321
Toronto	203

WARNER BROS.' DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Warner Bros.' Pictures, Inc., today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 96 1-4 cents per share on the company's preferred stock.



A fractional recession brought Canadian business in December, 1931, to its lowest point since the beginning of the current depression. The McConnell & Fergusson Monthly Index registered 21.07 per cent below normal for December, compared with 20.60 per cent below normal in November, 1931, and 18.19 per cent below normal in December, 1930.

The net loss in the aggregate was brought about entirely by a drop in the award of construction contracts, which receded 2.4 per cent. The three other factors each gained 1-10 of 1 per cent.

While the average activity for the year 1930 was 89.2 per cent of normal, and that of 1931 81.6 per cent of normal, the net loss from December, 1930, to December, 1931, was but 2.88 per cent.

The following table gives the combined weighted index and the four component factors, each of which has been adjusted for both seasonal variation and the long-time trend, and, where necessary, for the changing purchasing power of the dollar:

	Dec. 1931	Nov. 1931	Dec. 1930
Carloadings of revenue freight	72.6	72.5	78.0
Construction contract awards	83.1	85.5	94.8
Bank debits	88.7	86.6	78.5
Electric power production	82.7	82.6	81.5
Combined weighted index	78.9	79.3	81.8

Market Leaders at Eastern Exchanges Are Little Changed

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Volume showed an expansion today on the Montreal Stock Exchange, but no trend in prices developed, all ten price changes being minor. Seven losses developed against three gains.

The increase in activity was reflected chiefly in International Nickel and Brazilian Traction, both of which furnished sales of over 1,000 shares. They moved in opposite trends, Nickel losing 1-8 at 9 3-8 and Brazilian gaining a like amount at 13. Canadian Pacific Railway was 1-4 better at 17 1-4.

Removal of the minimum price on Consolidated Smelters did not affect the market.

Alberta Grain dropped 2 points to 5 on its first board lot sale this year; Abitibi preferred was off a point at 6 1-2; Cockshutt lost 1-4 at 5; Fraser eased 1-4 at 1, and Massey-Harris lost 1-8 at 3 1-2.

In the bond division, War Loan, 1937, eased 50c to $105; Victory, 1937, closed at $104.38, up 13c; Refunding, 1943, lost 87c at $95.38, and National Service, 1941, was unchanged at 95.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP).—Trading was at a low ebb again today on the Toronto Stock Exchange, with prices drifting lower. Delays in reaching agreements on railway wage schedules at Chicago caused a weakening in rail issues in New York, and industrials here fell with them. When it became known, however, that twenty to twenty-one railway unions had reached an agreement, the rally was started, which wiped out the greater part of earlier losses.

On the Toronto Exchange, turnover fell to 5,706 shares and of forty-one issues to appear, only seven had gains against eighteen which were off and sixteen unchanged.

Among utilities, Brazilian was unchanged, C.P.R. lost 3-4 to 17; Twin City was off 5-8 to 3 1-8, and Union Gas gained 1-4.

Base metals moved narrowly. Smelters was unchanged and Nickel was off 1-8 to 9 3-8. Lake Shore sold up to a new high of $29.19 and closed 10c lower.

Oils were heavy, British American being down 1-8, Imperial 1-8 and Pete 1-8.

TORONTO MINING MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP).—Lacking new developments, trading today on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange continued lethargic. Prices were soft with minor changes prevailing. There were thirty losses against twenty-five gains, with twenty-three issues unchanged. Sales totaled 313,000 shares.

The precious metal group was dull. Lake Shore dominated the board, and with a turnover of 2,495 shares sold up 10c to $29; Dome recovered 20c to $9.95. Teck-Hughes, under heavy liquidation, broke 13 points to close at its new low of $4.50.

Reactionary prices held in the base metal group. Noranda at $15.85 and International Nickel at $9.25, each fell 15c, while Hudson Bay broke 7 points to $2.50.

(Logan & Bryan)

Chemical Research	1.70
Amulet	17
Big Missouri	13
Ajax	1.02
Coast Copper	3.75
Dome	9.90
Falconbridge	75
Imperial Oil	9.90
Moss Mines	38
Macassa	37
Pioneer Gold	3.30
Eldorado	1.23
Hollinger	5.30
Hudson Bay	2.60
International Nickel	9.25
Kirkland Lake	50
Lakeshore	29.00
Nordon	11
Manitoba Basin	1
McIntyre	16.00
Mining Corpn.	1.25
Nipissing	1.00
Noranda	15.75
Newbec	2½
Pend Oreille	1.07
Premier	63
Sherritt	60
Sudbury	39
Wright Hargreaves	2.80
Teck Hughes	4.50
Treadwell	1.10
Ventures	46

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—British and foreign exchanges in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina (peso), 0.2979; Australia, (pound), 3.19696; Belgium (Belga), 0.1608; Brazil (milreis), 0.0732; Czechoslavakia (crown), 0.0342; Denmark (krone), 0.2201; Finland (finmark), 0.0184.

Great Britain (pound), 3.9962; Greece (drachma), 0.0148; Holland (florin), 0.4641; India (rupee), 0.3025; Italy (lire), 0.0578; Japan (yen), 0.4149; Jugoslavia (dinar), 0.0209; New Zealand (pound), 3.6329; Norwday (krone), 0.2178.

Poland (zloti), 0.1302; Rumania (leu), 0.0070; South Africa (pound), 5.5089; Spain (peseta), 0.0960; Sweden (krona), 0.2235; Switzerland (franc), 0.2249; United States (dollar), 15 1-4 premium.

LATIN AMERICAN BOND QUOTATIONS

(By C. L. H. Branson)

	Bid	Asked
Argentina 6%, 1957	54	54½
Antioquia 7%, 1945	13	15
Bolovia 6%, 1947	..	6⅝ 9
Bogota 6%, 1945	15	21
Brazil 6½%, 1957	31	31½
Buenos Aires 6½%, 1967	20	23
Buenos Aires 6½fl, 1955	43¾	49½
Chile 6%, 1990	12¼	13⅛
Chile 7%, 1943	14½	21
Costa Rica 7%, 1951	25	33
Chile Mtge Bank 6%, 1961	12½	14⅞
Colombia 6%, 1961	27½	36½
Col. Mtge Bank 7%, 1946	17	25
Peru 8%, 1960	6⅛	7
Peru 7%, 1959	11⅛	13⅞
Rio de Janiero 6½%, 1953	11	11⅝
Sao Paulo City 8%, 1952	23	30
Sao Paulo St. 8%, 1966	14	14½
St. Paulo St. 7%, 1940	58¼	81⅞
Urusuay 5%, 1960	30	24½
Urusuay 6%, 1946	41	42

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper, pfd.	8	9¾
Beatty Bros., com.	..	10
Beatty Bros., pfd.	60	65
Bell Telephone	..	118
Brasilian T. L. & P.	13	13½
B.A. Oil	10	10⅝
B.C. Power "A"	..	24
B.C. Power "B"	6⅝	..
Building Products "A"	19	20
Canadian Bakeries "A"	..	8
Can. Canners "B"	..	9
Can. Cement, pfd.	62½	65
Canadian Hydro Electric	..	66
Canadian Pacific	17¼	17½
Cockshutt Plow	4⅞	9
Con. Smelters	57	67½
Cosmos Imp., common	3⅝	..
Dominion Bridge	..	27
Dom. Textile	..	63¼
Ford of Canada "A"	12½	13⅝
Frost Steel & Wire, pfd.	..	85
Goodyear Tire	..	80
Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	..	5
Hamilton Bridge	7	8½
Hinde & Dauch, com	⅝	1
Imperial Oil	10	10¼
Imperial Tobacco	7⅞	9
International Nickel	9⅝	9½
International Petroleum	11	11¼
International Utilities "A"	7	..
Lake of the Woods, com.	6⅝	7
Massey-Harris, com.	3½	3¾
McColl Frontenac	..	10
Montreal Power	..	36
Nat. Breweries	..	24
Ogilvie Flour	185	..
Ottawa L. H. & P.	104	106
Page-Hersey Tubes	92	53½
Power Corporation	..	36½
Quebec Power	..	29
Riverside "A"	10	10¼
Service Station "A"	9	6¼
Service Station, pfd. "A"	45	49
Shawinigan W. & P.	..	33
Sherwin-Williams	..	16
Steel of Canada, com.	30	20½
Walkers G. & W.	2½	3¼
Winnipeg Electric, com.	8	9½
Doma Mines	9 50	10.00
Lakeshore	29.00	29.50
Noranda	15.85	15.29
Sherritt Gordon	.60	..
Sudbury Basin	.38	..
Teck-Hughes	4.60	4.65
Wright-Hargreaves	2.80	3.85

Canadian Bonds

(Robb, Robertson & Birch, Ltd.)

PROVINCIAL AND MUNICIPAL	
Prov. of Ontario 4½%, 1944	94
Proc. of Ontario 5%, 1948	93½
Prov. of Ontario 5%, 1935	101
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1961	80
Prov. of Alberta 5%	91
Prov. of Manitoba 4½%, 1959	97
Prov. of Manitoba 5%, 1958	93
Prov. of Saskatchewan 4½%, 1955	60
Prov. of Saskatchewan 5%, 1959	87
Prov. of B.C. 4½%, 1948	92
Prov. of B.C. 1954	93
PUBLIC UTILITY	
Beauharnois 6%, 1959	65
Bell Telephone 5%	103½
B.C. Power 5½%, 1960	90
B.C. Power 5%, 1960	63¼
B.C. Telephone 6%, 1960	81½
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	82
C.P.R. 4½%, 1944	82
C.P.R. 6%, 1954	88½
Canada Steamships 6%, 1941	41¼
East Kootenay Power 7%, 1942	92
Gatineau Power 5%, 1958	91½
General Steel Wares 6%, 1952	41
Intl. Power 6%, 1927	67
Montreal Island Power 6½%, 1967	81
Montreal Tramways 6%, 1955	82
Montreal Power 6%, 1970	83½
Ontario Power Serv. 6½%, 1950	68
Ottawa Lt., H. & Power 5%, 1957	83
Power Corpn. 9%, 1952	82
Quebec Power 9%, 1968	94
Shawinigan Water & Pr. 5%, 1970	85½
Shawinigan Water & Power 4½%	85
West Koot. Power 9%, 1859	90
Western Power 5%, 1949	93
INDUSTRIAL	
Abitibi Pulp & Paper 9%, 1853	45
Acadia Sugar 6%, 1848	65
Alberta Pac. Grain 9%, 1940	75
B.A. Oil 5%, 1946	88
Burns & Co. 5½%, 1948	62
Canadian Canners 6%, 1856	92
Dominion Canners 6%, 1940	102
Dom. Tar & Chem. 9%, 1846	51
Dominion Woolens 9%, 1949	87
Eastern Dairies 9%, 1949	86
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	68
Great Lakes Paper 9%, 1950	27
Maple Leaf Milling 8¼%, 1947	72
Massey-Harris 9%, 1847	71
Montl. Coke & Mfs. 5½%, 1947	99
United Grain Growers 5%, 1949	75
Canadian Vickers 8%, 1947	72
Harris Abattoir 9%, 1947	94

New York Sugar

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—A steadier tone prevailed in the raw sugar market early today and, while there was no noticeable change in quotation, buyers were showing a little more interest.

The refined market was unchanged at 4.15 for fine granulated, with a fair hand-to-mouth inquiry reported.

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REVEALS AVENUES OF NEW BUSINESS

Sun Life Assurance Company Manager Returns From Annual Conference of Officials

The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada has just closed its annual Canadian managers' conference at Toronto. W. E. G. McLagan, of this city, has just returned from the conference and reports that the Sun Life, through its world-wide organization, is receiving a large volume of business. At the conference a review of the past year was presented by Arthur B. Wood, vice-president. He revealed for the first time where the Sun Life is securing its business, more than $100,000,000 of paid-for business in Canada, from the United States approximately $290,000,000 from Great Britain $50,000,000, and from the rest of the world $85,000,000, making a total for the year of more than $500,000,000. The company now has in force over $3,000,000,000 of business.

PRELIMINARY FIGURES

Mr. Wood pointed out that the annual statement is now in course of preparation, so that he was only able to present preliminary figures. The assets are now more than $600,000,000.

Mr. Wood also pointed out that insurance institutions are least affected by depressions, for life insurance is essentially a long-term proposition, and its investments must of necessity be made to cover a period of years. Insurance companies are more concerned, therefore, with the earning power of their investments than their market values, and in this connection the income of the Sun Life for the year 1931 shows a large increase over the previous year and is not far short of $200,000,000. Dividends paid to policyholders during 1931 show a striking increase.

Retail Market

Vegetables

Lettuce, head .. .05 and .10
Local Potatoes, 10 lbs. .25
Hothouse Tomatoes, lb. .15 and .20
Beets, bunch .10
Carrots, 2 bunches .10
Turnips, 2 bunches .10
Cauliflower, each .25
Onions, lb .04
Artichokes, each .30
Onions, 9 lbs. for .30

Fruits

Cabbage, each .10 .05
Celery, stalk .20 .20
Cocoanuts, each .15 and .20
Smyrna Figs, lb. .25 and .30
Pears, dozen .50
Processed Strawberries, pail .30
California Grapefruit, 4 and 3 .25
Arizona Grapefruit, 4 for .26
Fresh Rhubarb .15
Local apples, 4 lbs. .29
Pineapple .40 to .50
Dates, 2 lbs. .25
Cal. Cluster Raisins, box .25 and .30
New Spanish Table Raisins, pkt. .39
New Fard Dates, lb. .28
Pears, doz. .40
Cooking Apples, 9 lbs. .25

Flour

Flour, pastry, 40's 2.10
Flour, bread 2.00
Flour, all standard brands, 49's 2.25

Cheese

Finest Ontario Mild, lb. .29
Gorgonzola, lb. .60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box .40
Finest Ontario Matured, lb. .45
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb. .43
Gouda Cheese, lb. .45
English Stilton, lb. .85
Imported Roquefort, lb. .85
Eagle Brand Camembert, lb. .65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese .40
Kraft, lb. .30
Goldenloaf .30

Fish

Soles .12½
Eastern Finnan Haddie, lb. .20
Local Cured Black Cod .25
Large Eastern Kippers .20
White Salmon, lb. .23
Red Salmon .20
Skate .15
Oolichans, lb. .18
Smoked Red Salmon .30
Kippered Salmon .25
Local Kippers .15
2 for .25
Fresh Cod .20
Fresh Smelts .20
Crab .15 to .25

Eggs

B.C. Extras .25
B.C. Firsts .23
B.C. Pullet Extras .22

Nuts

New Almond Nuts, lb. .30
Walnuts, lb. .30 to .40
Pecans, lb. .40
Mixed, lb. .25 and .35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb. .40
Roasted Peanuts, lb .19
Soft Shell Almonds, lb. .40
New Chestnuts, Japan, lb. .30
New Brazil, lb. .25
Local Filbert Nuts, lb. .18

Hams and Bacon

Ham, lb .20 to .35
Bacon, lb. .18 to .40

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Eggs—
Fresh Extras, doz. .32
Firsts, doz. .31
Butter—
Brookfield, lb. .31
Shamrock, lb .31
Cowichan Creamery, lb. .33
Dominion .30
Handypats, lb. .31
Saltspring Island lb. .35
Our Own Brand, lb. .31
Comox .35

Fresh Meats

Pork—
Trimmed Loins, lb .20
Shoulder Roasts, lb. .12½ and .10
Legs, lb .19
Side Pork .19
Pork Sausage, lb. .20 to .25
Spring Lamb—
Legs .30
Loin .30 to .35
Shoulder .19
Lamb Stew .12½
No. 1 Beef—
Sirloin Steak, lb .30
Sirloin Roast, lb. .29 to .30
Round Steak, lb. .25
Pot Roasts, lb .15
Rump Roasts, lb. .20 to .25
Shoulder Steaks .12½
Prime Ribs .20
Briskets .12
Local Veal—
Stew Veal .15
Shoulders .20

Bohn—Do you think it is possible to love two women at the same time?

Hedd—Not if they know about it.

Canadian Dollar And Pound Rates

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Despite an easier tendency in the morning, both sterling and United States money closed slightly higher in Montreal today. Sterling sold between $3.9350 and $4, with the close at $3.9962 compared with $3.9869 yesterday. New York funds opened at 15 1-8 per cent premium and declined to 15 1-16 before a recovery set in, carrying the value to 15 1-4 per cent, compared with 15 3-16 yesterday.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (CP).—The Canadian dollar closed unchanged at 86 7-8c on local foreign exchanges today, and the pound sterling ended the day 3-4c higher at $3.47 for cables.

C.P.R. EARNINGS DECLINE IN YEAR

Substantial Reduction Shown in Operating Costs of Railway—Subsidiaries Not Included

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Net earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's railway lines in 1931 totaled $27,763,899 against $38,687,673 in 1930, a decrease of $10,923,774, it was shown today when figures were issued covering operations of the railway for December. The company's formal annual report will be issued later.

Operating expenses were reduced during the year by $27,219,349, and gross earnings showed a decrease of $38,143,124.

For the twelve-month period ended December 31, gross earnings were $144,418,675, compared with $182,651,799 in 1930; working expenses were $116,654,776 compared with $143,874,125.

DECEMBER FIGURES

In the month of December gross earnings were $11,442,436 against $14,413,987 in the corresponding month of 1930, a decrease of $2,971,551; working expenses were $7,765,829 against $10,210,274, a decrease of $2,444,445, and net earnings were $3,676,607 compared with $4,203,713, a decrease of $521,106.

These figures cover solely the operations of the railway and do not include steamships, hotels, telegraphs and other branches of the Canadian Pacific, which will be dealt with in the annual report.

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Following wheat quotations were supplied today by Broomhall, Liverpool. All prices are c.i.f.

	Today	Yt'dy
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, January	74⅛	74⅛
No. 2 Man. Northern, Vancouver, January	69⅝	69⅝
No. 3 Man. Northern, Atlantic, January	73	73
Argentina (Baril 64 lbs.), January	59⅝	59⅝
Argentine (Rosafe 63 lbs.), January	57⅞	57⅞
West Australian, January	98⅝	96⅝
U.S. No. 1 Hard, old crop Atlantic, January	67	67
U.S. White Pacific, January	77¼	77¼

Note.—Above quotations were converted by Broomhall on a seven-day sterling exchange rate of $3.55 and reconverted into Canadian currency at $3.99, today's approximate exchange rate between banks.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Bonded wheat closed steady.

	High	Low	Close
May	57	69⅝	97½
July	..	..	58⅛

Metal Markets

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Standard copper: Spot, £38 2s 6d; futures, £38 5s. Electrolytic: Spot, £45; futures, £46 10s.

Tin—Spot, £137 15s; futures, £140 10s.

Lead—Spot, £14 10s; futures, £14 12s 6d.

Zinc—Spot, £14 2s 6d; futures, £14 10s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Copper quiet. Electrolytic, spot and futures, 7 1-4 to 7 1-2.

Tin easier. Spot and nearby, 21.80; futures, 22.00.

Iron quiet, unchanged.

Lead steady. Spot: New York, 3.75; East St. Louis, 3.55.

Zinc steady. East St. Louis, spot and futures, 2.90.

Antimony, 5.95.

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 28.—C.P.R., $21¾; Brazilian Traction, $16½; British American Tobacco, £4; Distillers, £2 3s 3d; Dunlop Rubber, 14s; Electrical & M. Ind. Rd., £1 9d; Ford, £1 13s 6d; Hudson's Bay, 19s 9d; Hydro Electric, $13¼; Imperial Chemical, 14s 4½d; Imperial Tobacco, £4 1s 3d; International Holding Inv., $1⅝; International Nickel, $12; Shell T. & T., £1 17s 6d; Vickers, 8s 10½d; British 5 per cent War Loan, 1947, £99 2s 6d; British 4½ per cent War Loan, £95 15s; British 4 per cent, 1960-90, £87 7s 6d.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Futures quotations, bid:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	57⅞	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
March	59⅝	58⅝	98⅝	59⅝

Cash—	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	81⅛	58⅛
No. 1 Northern	91	59
No. 2 Northern	54⅝	92⅛
No. 3 Northern	51⅝	48⅛
No. 4 Wheat	49⅝	47⅛
No. 5 Wheat	47⅝	48⅛
No. 6 Wheat	45⅝	42⅛
Feed	42⅝	40⅛

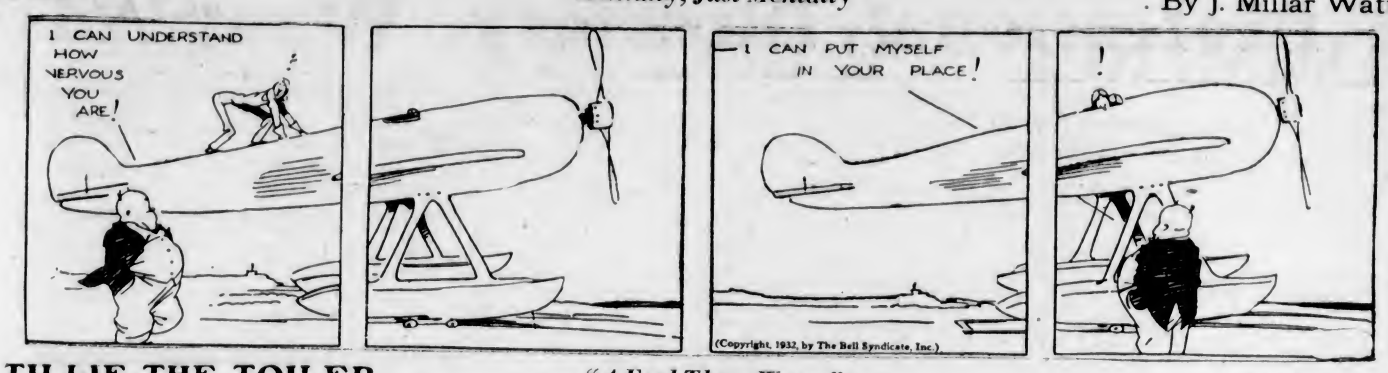
"Father, how do they catch lunatics?"

"With face powder, rouge and clothes, my boy."

POP

Mentally, Just Mentally

By J. Millar Watt



TILLIE THE TOILER

"A Fool There Was—"

By Westover

POLLY AND HER PALS

A Question of Doubt

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DIXIE DUGAN

Get 'Em Guessing!

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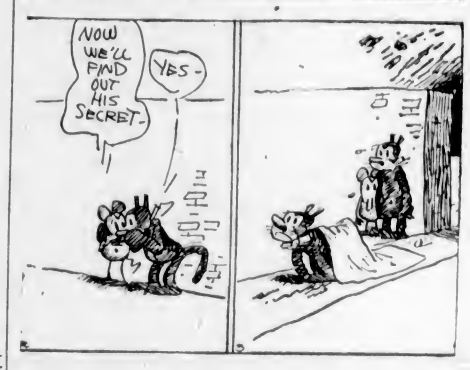
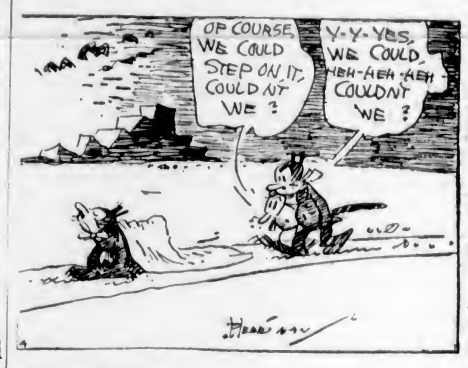




BONZO - - - - - By Studdy

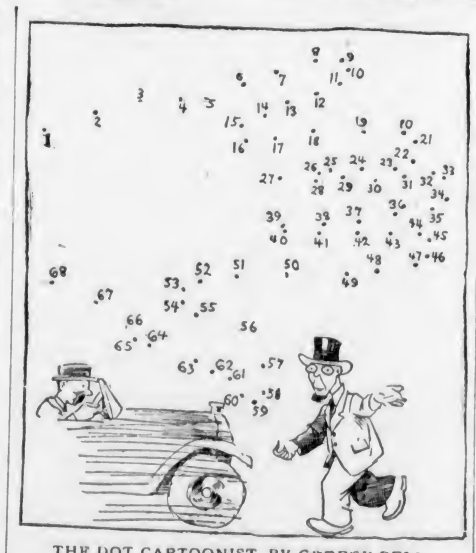
SUGGESTION FOR A PORTABLE ASH TRAY.—Wahre, Jakob, Berlin.

"Here is something quite new—an elegant divorce dress."—En Rolig Half Timma, Gothenborg.

The most prolific playwright in England last year was John Van Druten, who wrote four plays staged in London and a talkie for Hollywood production.

India's cotton industry continues to expand, but it will be many years before it can produce all the varieties of fabrics bought by the people of India.

THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY THAT MEETS ALL THE TRAINS



THE DOT CARTOONIST, BY GEORGE BELL

Herkimer Holt is a weather prophet, but he's not so good at foreseeing other events. He doesn't have an idea the automobile is approaching, and it looks like it's focused on the prophesying . . . (Kindly draw straight lines between the numbers.)

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

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"BOOZE"

This popular slang term for liquor or spirits has excited the curiosity of more people than almost any other word we know.

It is definitely traced to the Dutch word "buizen," which means to drink to excess. This, in turn, is said probably to be derived from the Dutch "buis"—a tube or channel!

The word is found recorded as early as 1560 in an old English play called "Health and Wealth," and in his "Faerie Queene," Spenser speaks of Gluttony imbibing too freely from a "bouzing can." Verily an auspicious beginning—Spenser—for the plebeian "booze" of today!

DUPLICATE BRIDGE VOGUE

Duplicate bridge parties have become the rage in London. Two tables play the same hand, which is alternately dealt by each, and a short "post mortem" is held. It is intriguing to find how often the same hands are played differently by the two sets of players. This system is supposed to enlarge one's bridge knowledge and is copied after the procedure of the British Bridge League's recent tournament.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

MOST HEART DISEASE CASES BEGIN IN CHILDHOOD

As heart disease stands at the head of the list as a cause of death, naturally every possible means is now being taken throughout the world to learn its cause and prevention.

Heretofore practically all the research work has been done on adults many of whom naturally would not remember their childhood ailments—tonsilitis, rheumatism, scarlet fever, diphtheria, and so forth.

Recently there have been three investigations of heart disease among children in San Francisco, Cleveland and Philadelphia, and while the results show that a considerable number of children are born with a defective heart, the majority of cases give a history of rheumatism or rheumatic fever. This history naturally was accurate, as the rheumatism had occurred such a short time previously. About 2 per cent of the school children have heart disease.

Not all these "rheumatic" cases gave a history of rheumatic fever or St. Vitus Dance; in fact, many of them gave simply a record of tonsilitis, or an unexplained fever variously called influenza, or pneumonia, growing pains, and painful joints.

Scarlet fever and diphtheria were the cause of many of the other cases, and it is now believed that measles is also a factor in the causation of heart disease.

As most cases of heart disease start in childhood, it looks like good sence to try to prevent the ailments that are responsible.

The chief causes are tonsilitis, scarlet fever and diphtheria, and children should be proteced against these ailments.

The tonsils should not be removed, even if large, if they are healthy. As tonsils are filters, and help to destroy harmful organisms, they should not be removed just because infected tonsils cause rheumatism and rheumatism causes heart disease. As long as the tonsils are healthy they are serving a useful purpose in the body. If they become unhealthy, then they should be removed. It is quite possible for a youngster to have an attack of tonsilitis and even an attack of rheumatism without an apparent heart ailment following, but the point to be remembered is that most cases of heart disease follow rheumatism following tonsilitis.

As for diphtheria and scarlet fever, it is now possible to prevent those dangerous ailments by inoculation and vaccination.

Increase in petty street thefts in London is ascribed to processions, which take hundreds of police away from thief-catching to act as escorts.

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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One and one-half cents a word each insertion; nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of ten words; cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

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1 BIRTHS

MORGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan (nee Bennett-Thompson), at the Belfield Nursing Home, January 27, a daughter (prematurely).

2 DEATHS

CRAWFORD—On Wednesday, January 27, at the family residence, 1126 North Park Street, Lena Crawford, wife of Frank Crawford. Mrs. Crawford was born in Yorkshire, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for twelve years. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Muriel, at home; her parents and five sisters in England, one sister in Calgary and a brother in Australia.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Rev. J. B. Rowell will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PILCHER—On Tuesday, January 25, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Frances Mary Pilcher, aged seventy-one years, of 310 Menzies Street. Miss Pilcher was born in Kent, England, and had resided in the province for twelve years. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. S. Bardsley, of 3156 Earl Grey Street; two brothers and one sister in Manitoba, three brothers in England and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Rev. J. B. Rowell will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

6 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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7 FLOWERS

BROWN'S VICTORIA NURSERIES, 618 View—Design work executed at lowest prices. We grow our flowers. Phone G 3613, G 3521; night, G 3531.

SAVORY'S—WEDDING BOUQUETS, DEsigns, etc. Phone E mpire 1137, 1431 Douglas.

WOOD'S FLOWER SHOP, 1605 DOUGlas—Cut flowers and designs. Phone G arden 4014.

8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

STEWART MONUMENTAL WORKS, LTD. Take No. 6 or 7 street car to works. 1401 May Street. Phone G arden 3482.

10 COMING EVENTS

AT COLWOOD HALL, FRIDAY, 29TH, Wilfert Lumber Co. Social Club card and gingham dance. Tombola; hot-dog supper. Make up a party and come out to the sticks for a good time. Len Acres' orchestra. Cards 7:30. Admission 50c.

ROYAL ARCANUM INVITATION CARD party and dance, Friday, 9-15, Foresters' (A.O.F.) Hall. Tickets from members.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY MEETING, Friday, January 29, at Amphion Hall, 8 p.m. Dr. J. S. Plaskett, D.Sc., F.R.S., director Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, will give an illustrated lecture on "Diffuse Gaseous Matter in Space." The meeting is open to the public.

BEAVER BADMINTON CLUB DANCE, Friday, January 29, 9 to 1, Hampton Hall, Burnside Road. Music by McEwen's Melody Men. Refreshments. Admission 50 cents.

DANCE, FRIDAY, VICTORIA HALL, 9 p.m.; 25 cents.

DO NOT FAIL TO ATTEND THE LEAP Year bridge which is to take place in the Victoria Hall on Blanshard Street, Wednesday evening, the 24th of February next. The affair is being arranged so that it will be an outstanding event of the year. Refreshments will be served free of charge. Prizes of a very high class nature will be offered the winners of the best scores. The price of admission will be only 50 cents.

DANCE, SATURDAY NIGHT, AMPHION Hall, 9 to 12. Evelyn Holt's orchestra. Admission 25c.

J.B.A.A. DANCE, CLUBHOUSE, SATURday, January 30, 9:30 p.m. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

SCHUBERT CLUB RECITAL, SHRINE Auditorium, Tuesday, February 2, 8:15 p.m. Aaron Stankavich, violinist, guest artist. Tickets, 85c; reserved section, 80c; students, 30c.

SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE, FORESTERS' Hall; Reg. Wood and the Pied Pipers; 9-12; admission 35c.

WHIST DRIVE, W.A. TO CANADIAN Legion, Pro Patria Branch, Friday, 9:30 p.m., 625 Courtney. Two $4, two $3.50, two $1.50 and specials; 25 cents.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

ENERGETIC MAN WITH $500, TO actively engage in a going food-preserving business; or purchase Chevrolet sedan car and obtain steady work, with salary. Box 1261, Colonist.

JOHN WOOD — VOCATIONAL ADVISER. International Correspondence. Schools: Canadian, Ltd. Phone E 7011 — 709 Yates St.

MUSICIANS, NOT OVER 30, SAXOphone, trumpet, piano; used to orchestration; doublers preferred. Box 1359, Colonist.

14 WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER, EXPERienced in lumber business. Must be well recommended and more than twenty-five years of age. Apply, with phone number, Box 1251, Colonist.

WANTED—BEAUTY STUDENTS—ABUNdance of practice. $10 down enters you to Winter classes. Victoria Hairdressing College, Woolworth Bldg.

WE'LL PAY YOU CASH FOR KNITTING socks at home. Send stamp for particulars. Home Knitting Machine Company, 75 Dundas East, Toronto.

WILL GIVE FREE OFFICE SPACE TO public stenographer, with use of phone, in return for light office duties. Apply 326 Sayward Bldg.

17 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

A. J. GREGG — HOUSE WINDOWS cleaned, outside, 6c each. G 5023.

EXPERT PRUNING BY INTERIOR ORchardist. Clay. Phone E 5201.

EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN WANTS work on mixed farm or dairy. Box 1290, Colonist.

HANDYMAN WANTS WORK OF ANY kind, by day or contract. Phone E 5751

I NEED WORK, ANYTHING IN BUILDing, carpentering, repairs, at prices you can afford to pay. Phone E 5775.

JAPANESE YOUTH WANTS WORK OF any kind. Japanese Mission, Pandora Avenue. Phone G 3536.

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17A PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

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17E GARDENERS

GARDENER (MARRIED) — PRUNING, caretaker, manage farm. G. Warman, 2539 Shelbourne.

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PLUMBING

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over Lot 192, Cowichan District, is cancelled.
H. CATHCART,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B.C., 26th January, 1932.

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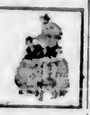

CHAPTER XXI

Although the little luncheon arranged by Lord Biskerton and his friend, Berry Conway, had been designed primarily as a celebration of their joint felicity, they had scarcely settled themselves at the table before it lost this care-free aspect and became undisguisedly a discussion of ways and means. The peculiar complexity of their position had escaped neither of them. Each had been doing solid thinking overnight, and the business note was struck almost immediately.

"What it all boils down to," said the Biscuit, when the waiter had left them, "is, where do we go from here?"

Berry nodded.

"I am not saying," proceeded the Biscuit, "that this isn't the maddest, merriest day of all the glad new year, because it is. We love. Excellent. We are loved. Capital. Nothing could be sweeter. But now the question arises, How the dickens are we going to collect enough cash to push the thing through to a happy conclusion? We must not fail to realize that between us we have got just about enough to pay for one marriage ceremony. And we shall need a couple."

Berry nodded again.

"So we are faced by the eternal problem of money and how to get it. Who," asked the Biscuit, looking across the room, "is the red-faced bird who has just waved a paternal hand at us? I don't know him. One of your City friends?"

Berry followed his gaze. At a table near the door a stout and florid man was sitting. J. B. Hoke, that obese double-dealer, always made of his lunch almost a holy rite, and as a temple to which to perform it he usually selected this particular restaurant.

J. B. Hoke had never dieted in his life. Nor was there at the present point in his career any reason for him to stint himself from motives of economy. Things were going well with Mr. Hoke. He had unloaded all his Horned Toad Copper at four shillings, and The Financial News informed him this morning that it was down to one and sixpence. At his leisure he proposed to buy it in again, possibly when it had sunk to a shilling, and then the information of the discovery of the new reef would be made public and he would have nothing to do but sit pretty and watch her shoot skywards. The future was looking to Mr. Hoke as rosy as his face.

He regarded Berry with eyes that bulged with greed and good will. The thought that he was about to make a large fortune out of a property for which he had paid this young man five hundred pounds diverted Mr. Hoke.

"That," said Berry, "is Hoke, the fellow who bought my mine."

"Is it?" The Biscuit scrutinized the philanthropist with interest. "Bought the mine, did he? Odd. He doesn't look like a mug. You don't think it's possible . . ."

"What?"

"I was just wondering whether that mine was quite such a dud as you thought it. I don't like Hoke's looks. I suspect the man. He has the air of one who would be pretty rough with the widow and the orphan if he got a chance. What's become of this mine?"

"I believe it has been absorbed into a thing old Frisby owns—Horned Toad Copper."

"How does Frisby get mixed up with it?"

"Hoke's a friend of his."

"Is he?" The Biscuit snorted. "Well, that damns him properly. What honest man would be a friend of old Frisby? A bounder," said the Biscuit bitterly, "whose only niece gets engaged to an admirable young man of good family, and who, in spite of being given every opportunity of coming across with a small gift, sits tight and does nothing. You take it from me, Berry, these hounds have done you down."

"Well, it's too late to worry about it now."

"I suppose it is."

The Biscuit frowned.

Suddenly he looked across the room again and clicked his tongue disapprovingly.

"I'll swear Hoke swindled you over that mine," he said. "I can see it in his eye."

"There must be dozens of ways of making money," said Berry reflectively. "Can't you suggest anything?"

The Biscuit withdrew his gaze from Mr. Hoke and gave his mind to the problem.

"It seems to me that every avenue is closed. We might try the old 'secret' game of course."

"I don't know that."

"Yes, you do. I recollect telling you. The two blokes—Bloke A and Bloke B. Bloke A goes up to Bloke B and says, 'I know your secret!' And Bloke——"

"I remember now. But suppose your second bloke hasn't got a secret?"

"My dear old boy, everybody has a secret. It's one of the laws of nature. When you get back to the office, try it on old Frisby and watch him wilt. Become a gentlemanly blackmailer and earn while you learn."

"Talking of Frisby," said Berry, looking at his watch, "I suppose I ought to be getting along. He's had another of his dyspeptic attacks and didn't come to the office this morning. He telephoned to say he wanted me to bring the mail up to his flat in Grosvenor House. Rather convenient."

"Why convenient?"

"Well, for one thing, I want to see him, and tell him I'm chucking my job. And then," said Berry, "I shall be near the Park. I promised to meet Ann at the tea house. We are going to feed the ducks on the Serpentine."

"My God!"

"Well, we are," said Berry doggedly. "And if you don't like it, try to do something about it. Are you coming along?"

"No. I shall sit here and think. I must think. I must think—think. How the dickens, with your whole future clouded with the most delicate financial problems, you can waste your time feeding ducks . . ."

"I don't look on it as a waste of time," said Berry. "So long. See you tonight."

He walked to the door and was hailed in passing by Mr. Hoke.

"And how's Mr. Conway?" asked Mr. Hoke.

"I'm all right, thanks," said Berry.

"Who's your friend?"

"Man who lives next door to me down at Valley Fields."

"What were you talking about so earnestly?"

Berry wanted to hurry on.

"Oh, various things. The Dream Come True, among others."

"The Dream Come True, eh?"

"Yes, he seemed interested in it. Well, I must rush."

"Pleased to have seen you," said Mr Hoke.

He returned to his steak and for some moments became absorbed in it. Then a shadow fell on the table, and, looking up, he perceived his old friend, Captain Kelly.

Mr. Hoke was not glad to see Captain Kelly. Indeed, he had been going to some little trouble of late to avoid him. But his mood was too radiant to allow him to be depressed by this encounter.

"'Lo, Captain," he said amiably. "Lunch?"

"No," said Captain Kelly.

Hoke's military friend, never effusive, seemed now even less cordial than his wont. His lips were set in a straight line, and even when speaking he scarcely opened them.

Mr Hoke gathered that his old crony had been hearing things. The fact did not disturb him. Sooner or later, he told himself philosophically, there was bound to be a showdown.

"Want a word with you," said Captain Kelly.

J. B. Hoke cut off a generous piece of steak. Only when it was safely inside did he reply, and then only briefly.

"Yeah?" he said.

The Captain continued to eye him fixedly.

"Begin by saying," he went on, "that of all the dirty, swindling hounds I've ever met you are the worst."

Mr. Hoke smiled indulgently.

"You know what I'm talking about," Captain Kelly said. "What about that mine?"

"What mine?"

"The Dream Come True."

"What about the Dream Come True?"

"Yes, what about it?" said the Captain.

Mr. Hoke engulfed another mouthful and sat champing placidly. The spectacle appeared to infuriate his friend.

"See here," said Captain Kelly, his face, educated by a thousand poker games, still expressionless save for a little vein below the temple which swelled and throbbed, "wasn't the agreement that you and I should buy that mine together? And didn't you go off and buy it for yourself? It's no use trying to deny it. Bellamy was there when you did it, and he told me."

"Bless your heart," said Mr. Hoke, with gentle amusement, "I'm not trying to deny it."

"Ah," said Captain Kelly.

"You want to watch your step when you're doing business," said Mr. Hoke. "If you don't, you find yourself sidetracked, and there you are, out in the cold, and nothing to be done about it."

"Nothing to be done about it?" Captain Kelly breathed softly through his nose. "Ah," he said again.

"Say 'Ah' just as often as ever you like," said Mr. Hoke, generously. "It won't make any difference." He swallowed another mouthful of steak. "I'm sorry for you, Captain. You let yourself be outsmarted. It's the fortune of war. That's all there is to it. Happens all the time. You today, me tomorrow."

Captain Kelly crumbled Mr. Hoke's bread.

"What do you expect to make out of this deal?" he asked.

Mr. Hoke had no objection to answering that question.

"Thousands and thousands," he said, "and thousands."

"And I might have had half," sighed Captain Kelly. There was a long silence.

"I could have done with a bit of money just now," said the Captain. "I've a lot of expense just at present. You see, it costs money to entertain these fellows."

Mr. Hoke cut steak.

"What fellows?" he asked.

"A couple of lads from Chicago have come over with a letter of introduction from a friend of mine. He's a man I'm under obligations to, so it's up to me to take care of them. And they seem to think," said Captain Kelly, sighing once more, "of nothing but pleasure. That's why I want to find some money. You'd be surprised what a lot it runs into, taking these fellows round London and showing them the sights. The best is none too good for them. Three times to Madame Tussaud's wax-works in the last week."

"Ah," said Mr. Hoke, "They live high, those boys."

"Of course, there's the other side. They're grateful to me. They look on me like an elder brother. They said yesterday that there wasn't anything in the world they would not do for me."

"That's fine," said Mr. Hoke heartily. "A nice spirit."

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PLAN FESTIVAL OF SWEET PEAS

Hundred Residents to Co-operate With Commercial Growers at Duncan

DUNCAN, Jan. 27.—There was a good attendance at the monthly meeting of the Duncan Chamber of Commerce, held at the Agricultural Hall last night.

B. Young, chairman of the agricultural committee, reported that the farmers' market, which had now been in operation for a year, had proved a great success, and the thanks of the farmers were due to the Chamber of Commerce for bringing the market into being. More than ten thousand dollars' worth of farm produce had been disposed of during the year, and the market would have to be enlarged shortly.

PLANS FOR FESTIVAL

The special committee appointed to consider the possibility of holding a sweet pea festival reported strongly in favor of the project. Their report, which was accepted, proposed that the festival should be held during the last week of June. The co-operation of the three commercial seed growers, Crosland Brothers, James Brothers and Matthew's Seed Farm, had been promised. One hundred residents will grow a fifteen-foot strip of sweet peas, arrangements having already been made for the E. & N. Railway garden to be planted and cared for. The railway company will also be asked to lay out a second garden between the passenger and freight station, and also by the railway crossing at the Agricultural Grounds. The Golf Club grounds near the clubhouse will also be given over to a display of sweet peas.

VARIOUS ATTRACTIONS

During the week of the festival, Duncan streets and stores are to be lavishly decorated with the bloom, and the tourist hotels in Victoria, Nanaimo, and Vancouver are to be supplied with Cowichan sweet peas during the festival week and the preceding one. Three nights of street attractions are planned as well as a Sunday night sacred concert by the Cowichan Male Choir. The bus line will be asked to arrange excursions. The Boy Scouts will put on a jamboree and the Caledonian Society has promised to stage a Scotch dance during the celebration. The Postoffice Department has already been asked to authorize a special canceling stamp in connection with the affair. Prizes will be offered for the best sweet pea gardens in Duncan.

An estimate received on the cost of the proposed new bridge and approach into Duncan by way of York Road, was given as $34,000.

BROWN TROUT FRY

The fish and game committee reported that after five years' effort on the part of the chamber, three hundred thousand brown trout fry had been supplied to the Cowichan Lake hatchery. The committee considered that much greater success would be attained if rearing ponds were established, and the department will be pressed to consider the advisability of building these. Two excellent sites are said to be available.

A letter was received from the Ladysmith Board of Trade, asking that negotiations be entered into with the Vancouver Island Coach Lines and with The Daily Colonist, whereby the delivery of the morning paper could be made by an early bus, which would give a service connecting Duncan and Ladysmith travelers with the 7 o'clock boat from Nanaimo to Vancouver. The proposal was endorsed.

The chamber went on record as favoring the continuance of the present game protection service, and as strongly opposed to the suggestion that game preservation be turned back to the Provincial Police.

"Is that an 8 or a 12?" asked the admirer of Mr. Twitchell's new automobile.

"Both," replied Elmer. "Eight cylinders, 12 payments."

Pioneers' Society Enjoys Banquet

NANAIMO, Jan. 27. — The Pioneers' Society held a most enjoyable banquet in the Odd Fellows' Hall last evening. One hundred and twenty-four members and guests were present.

Following the supper, a lengthy programme was enjoyed, consisting of toasts, songs, speeches and recitations, the vocal artist being Miss Dorothy Trawford, and instrumental, Mrs. McDonald, both artists receiving hearty applause for their offerings.

ECONOMY PLANS ARE FORMULATED

Ladysmith Council Makes Prompt Attack on Problems Facing City This Year

LADYSMITH, Jan. 28.—The City Council tonight prepared to tackle the difficulties that face the city this year, in prompt fashion, when it unanimously passed a resolution reducing all civic employees' wages and salaries, where such are over and above the minimum wage, by 5 per cent. The reduction takes effect immediately.

This step followed the recommendation of the finance committee, and Mayor Mason made a plea that any objection to the plan by any of the aldermen, be registered while the matter was being considered. There was no discussion, however, and the motion passed. This salary and wage saving will be earmarked specifically for a relief fund to aid distress in the city.

Having trimmed the municipal economy at one end, the council reviewed in discussion any surplus equipment the city might have that could be disposed of for ready cash.

A drive will be opened to collect to the greatest possible extent dog taxes, road taxes and poll taxes from those liable for payment. It was unanimously resolved to appoint a collector on a commission basis, and the mayor and finance committee will arrange for the appointment.

The final reading was accorded By-Law 164, which gives the city authority to borrow $15,000 to carry on the work for the year. The by-law was passed.

A court of revision on assessments will be held on February 8, with the council acting as the court to hear objections.

An invitation from Rev. C. McDiarmid for the mayor and council to attend divine service was accepted, and Sunday, February 7, was the date arranged.

Hundred Loggers Go Back to Work

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan. 28.—After a "shut down" of a month, more than a hundred men have resumed logging operations at Camp 10, for the Chemainus Mill, working for the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company.

It is reported that Camp 6, Nixon Creek, will shortly resume operations.

SNOWFALL IS HEAVY AT COWICHAN LAKE

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan. 28.—On Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock it commenced to snow, and by 8:30 o'clock eleven and a half inches of dry snow had fallen. The Government snowplough arrived at noon to clear the roads.

RESTORE MAIL SERVICE

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan. 28.—Once again the residents of Youbou, Camp 6, and the Lake, have a noon delivery of mail from Duncan. This is the result of a petition signed by the district residents asking that the former mid-day mail delivery be returned rather than a delivery at 5 o'clock. The V.I. Coach Lines carry the mail.

LEGION BRANCH ELECTS OFFICERS

Representative Gathering at Tofino Hears Satisfactory Reports of Year's Proceedings

TOFINO, Jan. 28.—The Clayoquot Sound branch of the Canadian Legion, whose headquarters are at Tofino, held its annual general meeting and election of officers on Sunday afternoon last, when a representative gathering of ex-service men from many parts of the West Coast assembled to review the work of the past year. Prior to the meeting the chaplain of the branch, Comrade (Rev.) J. W. Leighton, conducted a special service in St. Columba Mission Church, which was attended by all the members and their relatives. Comrade J. H. Mitchell, the local president, presided.

Tom Barnard, of Nanaimo, president of the Provincial Command of the Legion, was present at the meeting and gave the local members a most interesting hour's talk on a general resume of the affairs and activities of the Legion throughout Canada, also of the proceedings of the Dominion convention recently held at Niagara Falls. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Comrade Barnard, and at the close of proceedings he was unanimously elected honorary president of the branch.

The honorary secretary-treasurer, Comrade George Nicholson, read his report and presented his balance sheet, which disclosed the affairs of the branch to be in an exceedingly satisfactory condition, with the mortgage on its memorial hall completely paid off and the branch entirely free of all debt. Every member is in good standing and no dues are in arrears. The branch embraces in its membership every ex-service man in the Tofino-Clayoquot district, with many other members at Ucluelet, Nootka, Ahousat, Kyuquot, Port Alice and other West Coast points. The finances being in such sound condition, the members resolved to proceed with further additions making for the comfort and convenience of their hall.

TO FORM AUXILIARY

Other items of business transacted included the decision to form a ladies' auxiliary, the admittance of honorary members and the lowering of the dues to include subscription to The Legionary, the official publication of the Legion in Canada.

J. F. Tait, supervisor of fisheries for Vancouver Island district, who is a member of the Nanaimo branch and who happened to be in Tofino in the course of his inspection tour of the West Coast, also attended the meeting and was extended a warm welcome by the comrades present.

Officers elected, in addition to T. Barnard as honorary president, were: President, J. H. Mitchell; vice-president, B. F. Sced; chaplain, Rev. J. W. Leighton; auditor, H. Monks; honorary secretary-treasurer, George Nicholson; executive, the above officers and Comrades Harold Sloman, N. Salisbury and R. E. Brinckman.

After the meeting tea was served by the lady friends of the branch, convened by Mesdames J. Mitchell, G. Nicholson, Arnet and Hansen, when a pleasant informal hour was passed.

Courtenay Branch Canadian Legion Elects Officers

COURTENAY, Jan. 28.—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Legion here on Tuesday night, the members decided against acquiring an interest in the Native Sons Hall, but will rent any accommodation necessary in the meantime. It was also agreed that the members must be consulted in a general meeting before any permanent arrangements can be made for the acquisition of headquarters. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, G. R. Bates; vice-president, H. S. Baker; secretary, G. R. Bates; treasurer, G. T. Corfield. The executive representing the various districts is: Merville, Comrades D. M. Isenor and James Mathers; Little River, Comrade A. Grist; Comox, Comrade W. A. Edwards; Dove Creek, W. E. Mantle and Charles Garoz; Courtenay, Harold Bersey, G. W. Stubbs, Grattan, W. Smillie and E. L. Moody; Grantham, John Murray; Bowser, Thomas Tame; Oyster River, J. E. Taylor; Happy Valley, Edwin Bayly.

A Woman's Auxiliary, with temporary officers, headed by Mrs. G. R. Bates, is expected to assist the veterans.

CONCERT AT TOFINO

TOFINO, Jan. 28.—A successful vaudeville show and entertainment was given in the local Memorial Hall under the auspices of the Legion concert party, and staged as a feature of the local branch's celebrations in connection with its annual general meeting. The pantomime, "The Sleeping Beauty," was arranged and produced under the direction of Comrade R. E. Brinckman. Those taking part were as follows: Miss K. Hacking, Miss E. Montgomery, Miss M. Hansen, Mrs. G. Nicholson, Miss Thelma Hansen, Miss Alma Hansen, Mesdames Coombes and Mitchell, and Miss E. Garrard, Mickey Nicholson, R. Brinckman, N. Salisbury, Messrs. Rev. J. Leighton, R. Coombes and B. Sced. The second half of the programme comprised a series of songs, ballet dances and musical numbers, featuring Miss L. Evans, Mrs. Coomes, Mr. B. F. Sced and Miss Patricia Kinoto.

A Kansas stockman, who had mortgaged his cattle to the local bank, was called in by the banker and told that the note was due and must be paid the following day. The stockman said to the banker:

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The banker answered "No."

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